

WASSON: My office number is 206-878-7878.

PARKER: Okay. Thank you. Mr. Wasson can you please explain to me your background on the city council?

WASSON: I was first elected to the city council in, I think I took office in 1990 and held office for four years. And at the next succeeding election I was defeated and I filed again two years after that which was in 1996 I guess. And was successful and I have been on the city council ever since. Those dates that I gave you were when I took office, not when the campaign occurred.

PARKER: Okay. Thank you. Can you describe what the council was like? What the make up was? If it's changed over the years.

WASSON: Its changed several times but the most recent change was in the last election and that was the election where the new members took office in 2002. Prior to that, why we had a council who, whose, I guess I could describe it as the majority of the council philosophy differed from mine.

PARKER: In what way?

WASSON: They were, well they were characterized as tax and spend, basically conservative. And so I was probably the most ineffective council member during that time because my views were ignored.

PARKER: So did you have some feelings about the new council? About the people running?

WASSON: Yes. When I met the new council members, why they, or the candidates, they, there were three of them who were business people and we shared similar philosophies of how government should be run.

STUTZMAN: Just a little bit ago you said conservative and tax and spend, one after the other. Is that what you meant?

WASSON: That the previous council, the majority of the previous council was, in my view, a tax and spend council. My, my views are more conservative.

STUTZMAN: Oh, I see. Thank you.

PARKER: So were you interested in the makeup of the new council and the candidates that were running?

WASSON: Very much, yes.

PARKER: Okay. And did you take any action on that?

WASSON: Yes. I encouraged three of them to file for office and I aided them as well as I could.

PARKER: Can you tell me some more about that?

STUTZMAN: Can you name the three that you encouraged?

WASSON: Richard Benjamin, who I had never met prior to the campaign. Maggie Steenrod, who I had only met maybe three to four months prior. And Gary Peterson who I had known for, on a very limited basis, for several years.

MISSALL: I don't want to intrude too much into the questioning here but it's my understanding that people can campaign for others for office and I'm not sure what relation that's got to the PDC's role. So if you could clarify that for me I'd appreciate it.

PARKER: We're just exploring the background on how Mr. Wasson was involved in the campaign.

MISSALL: Okay. I just perceived the questions more along the lines of political philosophy which to me doesn't seem to be particularly relevant to what he did in the campaigns but you can go ahead and

WASSON: I believe it was sometime in mid July. I believe that was probably, or late July.

PARKER: So what kind of help did you end up giving him then?

WASSON: I ended up giving him advice and some in kind contributions to his campaign.

PARKER: Can you tell me about the in kind contributions?

WASSON: I contributed a \$750, I identified it as a \$750 contribution for in kind campaign consulting. Which I didn't break down, I actually gave him what I considered to be \$500 worth of campaign consulting or campaign advice and some paper for printing purposes, which I arbitrarily set at \$250.

PARKER: And can you tell me more about the paper? Where that...

WASSON: The paper, prior to the campaign the paper was given to me by a friend of mine.

PARKER: Okay, prior to the campaign.

WASSON: Prior to the campaign.

PARKER: When would that be?

WASSON: Sometime in July. I'm not sure.

PARKER: And what was it given to you for?

WASSON: The person that gave it to me didn't put any strings on it but he thought maybe with the campaign coming up I might be able to use it.

PARKER: And who was that person?

WASSON: His name is Jerry Guite.

PARKER: Okay. Did he, did you ask for that paper?

WASSON: No.

WASSON: In the same way that I helped Richard Benjamin. And I helped him probably, not probably, I did help him more than I helped Richard Benjamin because I, one of the reasons that he hesitated to file for office was that he felt that he couldn't give adequate time to the campaign so I volunteered to help him. So I had some printing done for him.

PARKER: Can you tell me some more about that?

WASSON: It was a flyer, I think it was the second flyer that he had and I had it, I took a copy to Costco and had them print it and I paid for that myself and gave him a copy of the invoice as an in kind contribution.

PARKER: So you did give Mr. Peterson a copy of the invoice?

WASSON: I'm pretty sure I did, yes.

PARKER: Okay. In the first interview that we had Mr. Wasson, you told me that you hadn't done any printing for him.

WASSON: I was mistaken. I didn't recall it.

PARKER: Okay. And then the copy of the check, the carbon that you gave me that was to Costco was, I believe \$418 but he only reported \$300. Why do you think there was a difference?

MISSALL: I'm sorry I missed those numbers. What were they?

PARKER: The carbon of the check that Mr. Wasson gave me was, I believe \$418 but Mr. Peterson only reported \$300 and if he had the invoice I'm wondering why there was a difference.

MISSALL: Let me interrupt here Don. Answer if you know the answer to that question which is why Gary would have reported something different.

WASSON: I don't know, but I may have answered incorrect.

WASSON: He didn't express a view on that. In fact I didn't have a discussion with him about that.

PARKER: Did you make any other contributions to Mr. Peterson's campaign?

WASSON: No. None that I can, no.

PARKER: Okay. Did you prepare Mr. Peterson's reports?

WASSON: I didn't prepare them but I gave his daughter, who did the preparation, copies of previous reports that I had made as a guide on how to fill them out.

PARKER: Did you give him any advice in reporting? What needed to be reported? In kind contributions, monetary contributions.

WASSON: I believe so, yes.

PARKER: Did you also give Mr. Peterson paper?

WASSON: Yes. The same amount that I gave to Richard Benjamin.

PARKER: Did you advise him to report that because he didn't report any paper.

WASSON: I had indicated to him or to his daughter that the \$750 in kind contribution, I didn't, when I, when it come time to make the reports I gave both of them an in kind contribution of \$750 and I didn't detail it as to what it was. I later told them that after, I guess after the campaign I told them that that consisted of \$500 for campaign consulting and \$250 for paper. And I did not detail that prior to that time.

PARKER: When you told them that it was a \$750 in kind contribution did you give them any kind of invoice or give that to them in writing?

WASSON: I don't believe I did, no.

PARKER: Going back briefly to Richard Benjamin, he reported the \$750 consulting from you on October 30th then he also reported 5 boxes of envelope and paper from Jerry Guite worth \$50.

WASSON: I had no knowledge of that.

PARKER: You don't know if that was the same paper?

WASSON: No.

PARKER: As what you gave him?

WASSON: No. The, to my knowledge, I guess the answer is no.

PARKER: Okay. Maggie Steenrod, can you tell me about, did you discuss the campaign with her?

WASSON: Yes. I encouraged her to file and run.

PARKER: And when was that?

WASSON: Prior to this, late July I believe.

PARKER: Okay. Can you tell me some more about that?

WASSON: I met her when she was a member of the Chamber of Commerce and her function in the Chamber of Commerce was the liaison to the city council and so she attended prior, the year prior to the election she attended most all of the city council meetings and reported the content of those meetings to the chamber at their meetings which I attended because I was the city council liaison to the chamber. So that's where I met her. And it was clear that she was somewhat perturbed by what she saw happening at the council meetings. That was one of the precipitating factors that caused her to file for office. I also encouraged her.

PARKER: So you said she was perturbed. Can, about what kinds of issues?

WASSON: About the way the council meetings were conducted and the actions that the council had taken. And I can't really tell the details

WASSON: No. J

STUTZMAN: Could I ask that you speak just a little bit louder?

WASSON: Sure.

STUTZMAN: It will be transcribed.

WASSON: Sorry about that.

STUTZMAN: Thank you.

PARKER: Okay. You had mentioned earlier that possibly Hank Hopkins may have introduced you to Tom Hujar.

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Tell me about your background with Hank Hopkins.

WASSON: I had met him probably 20 years ago through one of the, one of my customers who was building some machinery for him and it was just a brief encounter, I think I met him one afternoon and that was it. And then when he, a more recent meeting with him, I was on the city council and he was lobbying the city council members to allow his company to build a conveyor belt to convey construction materials for the third runway through Des Moines.

PARKER: And when was that?

WASSON: Well it seems like it's been about 6 or 7 years now, but I loose track of time in the day-to-day political things that are going on.

PARKER: So tell me some more about his lobbying attempts.

WASSON: He had, I think he had applied for a permit from the City of Des Moines to the conveyor belt and it was denied and he was very concerned that he would be able to build the conveyor sometime in the future and he thought maybe he could change the minds of the council members and he contacted, I believe he contacted all of the council members over a several year period.

PARKER: We didn't issue a subpoena.

MISSALL: Okay. I think Don is only concerned with muddying somebody's name that doesn't deserve to be muddied because he's just out here speculating and he's not particularly anxious to cause problems for people. On the other hand he's happy to speculate if that's all there is and it doesn't go further than that, I guess.

STUTZMAN: We cannot use speculative testimony in an enforcement hearing but we can ask the questions, we can ask the witness to speculate so that we can find out what the facts are and then use the facts in a hearing. But our only purpose in asking him to speculate is so that we can discover that information from another source based on what we hear from him. But we would not characterize his testimony as fact. It would be characterized as speculation. Anything he said was speculation.

WASSON: Well I guess I should say that I'm willing to tell you anything I know for sure and I'm not inclined to hold anything back. But you know I, what was the question?

PARKER: I started with if you have any knowledge that Hank Hopkins contributed to the campaigns in any way.

WASSON: I have no direct knowledge, no.

PARKER: Okay, do you have any indirect knowledge?

WASSON: Well all I have is suspicions.

PARKER: Are you willing to share those?

WASSON: Yeah. You've already told me that Tom Hujar spent over \$10,000 on phone calls. Well he didn't spend that money out of the goodness of his heart and he sure didn't get it from any of the candidates, that I know of, I'm relatively certain that wasn't the case and he didn't get it from me. In fact I had heard stories about these]

campaign calls, I didn't believe they had occurred until, in fact I didn't know that they occurred until you told me that he spent that money to have them made. So in my mind there is only one place it could come from.

PARKER: And where is that?

WASSON: Hank Hopkins.

PARKER: Did Tom Hujar ever discuss those phone calls with you?

WASSON: No.

PARKER: Did Hank Hopkins?

WASSON: In fact he was, he was asked about them and denied it.

PARKER: Who was asked about them?

WASSON: Tom Hujar.

PARKER: Asked by whom?

WASSON: Maggie Steenrod.

PARKER: Can you tell me some more about that?

WASSON: Well when the, apparently when the phone calls started happening she got a couple calls from citizens wanting to know why there were phone calls coming from Las Vegas. he said there's no phone calls coming or, this is what she told me, that there was no phone calls coming from Las Vegas that she was, she and her family were making campaign calls and she told me I guess, this is hearsay but she told me that she confronted Tom Hujar about it and he denied that he had anything to do with those phone calls. That they obviously, that they obviously weren't occurring. And so that's all I know about that.

PARKER: So am I correct in that you were guessing that the money that Tom Hujar used to pay for the phone calls came from Hank Hopkins?

have any hand at all in soliciting any money for his efforts beyond what he did for you?

WASSON: For Hank Hopkins? I mean for Tom Hujar? No.

STUTZMAN: Right did you have a hand in raising any money or...

WASSON: No, no.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

PARKER: I'd like to ask you about a check that was written to you from Hank Hopkins on September 17th for \$1,000. Can you tell me about that?

WASSON: I'd like to see where I endorsed it.

PARKER: The only, I have a copy of the front of the check. Are you saying that you didn't receive a check?

WASSON: I never received a check from Hank Hopkins. If I had I wouldn't be dumb enough to accept it or endorse it. I, well at least I think I'm that smart. I mean it was obvious what Hank Hopkins wanted and I would never accept it.

PARKER: And what was it that was obvious that he wanted?

WASSON: He wanted approval of his conveyor belt.

PARKER: So why do you think he would have sent me a copy of a check made out to you?

WASSON: I don't know. And I can't, I can't, I can't believe that I ever received that check. And I don't believe I did. This is something that, can you...

STUTZMAN: We have a copy of the check, we just don't have it with us. We inadvertently left it back in the office but...

MISSALL: Would you send me one?

PARKER: Can you tell me a little bit about your political background? What office you've run for?

WASSON: Well I've ran for city council of the City of Des Moines three times, pardon me, four times. I was defeated once and I was successful three times.

PARKER: Okay. And have you made any independent expenditures to other candidates or committees in the past?

WASSON: Other than this last fall, no.

PARKER: Okay. So are you familiar with public disclosure reports that are required for independent expenditures?

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: Well I think I am.

PARKER: I'd like to ask you some questions about the candidate who is now on the city council, Richard Benjamin.

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Did you have any contact with him or give him any assistance in the city council race last fall?

WASSON: Yes I did.

PARKER: Okay. Can you tell me about that please?

WASSON: I hadn't, I didn't know Richard Benjamin prior to the campaign but I decided that I would like to support him so I offered my help. I didn't offer him any cash support but I offered to supply some materials and some campaign advice, I guess, on how to what I thought would be an effective campaign.

PARKER: Okay. You said you supplied him with some materials, what kinds of materials were those?

WASSON: I had, another, I was supporting another candidate as well as Richard Benjamin, a Mr. Peterson well I'm sure you'll get to him later. But I had encouraged Mr. Peterson to file for office as well and Mr. Peterson called me and told me that somebody else had come to him and suggested that he enlist the aid of a campaign consultant. He asked me what I thought about it and I said let me check into it. So I called this campaign consulting firm and I can't give you the name right off the top...

PARKER: The Madison Group maybe?

WASSON: One that supports primarily Republican candidates.

PARKER: Oh, okay.

WASSON: And asked them about representing Mr. Peterson and they were not very responsive to my inquiries and they couldn't quote a figure of what it would cost. They indicated that if they provided some of their services it might be in the area of \$500-600. But then there were the costs that would be added to that and they couldn't come up with anything definitive. So I thought this is just kind of a con game so there must be other people that do this and I inquired. I was finally, I'm not sure exactly where I got the name but a company called FDR and a consultant by the name of Tom Hujar and I contacted him and asked for his help. He said he wasn't too interested but he would take a look and he became more interested and I said how about if I hire you to give me advice on how to do this and I will help the other candidates that I'm supporting. And so I paid him \$1,000 for his consulting services. And I then split that \$1,000 between Mr. Peterson and Mr. Benjamin. So that was \$500 of the in-kind services that I provided to each of them.

PARKER: I see.

WASSON: And then I got some paper for flyers and I got it for free. So it was very expensive paper but it was a gift to me so I just arbitrarily allocated \$250 for the value of the paper and I provided it to both Richard Benjamin and Gary Peterson.

PARKER: Okay. How did you come by the paper?

WASSON: It was a gift to me from a Gerry Getty who is a close friend and is in the liquidating business.

PARKER: When he gave you the paper, was it with the intent that it would go to the candidates?

WASSON: Not necessarily. But, well he never said that. I asked him for the paper.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: And the reason I asked him for it was I wanted it for the candidates.

PARKER: Okay. When you, I want to go back and clarify something when you told me that Richard Benjamin was introduced to you as a potential candidate so did you begin meeting with him before he declared his candidacy?

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: I think I had maybe one meeting prior to that.

PARKER: Okay. Did you help Mr. Benjamin at all with his campaign? With his mailing or his advertisements that were in the paper?

WASSON: Advertisement that was in the paper, I helped him in composing it I believe.

PARKER: Setting it up?

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: I can't remember all of the details about that but I know that I accompanied him when he took his copy to the newspaper to.

PARKER: Gary Peterson. Let's talk about Gary Peterson. Did you meet with him prior to his declaring his candidacy?

WASSON: Yes. And I had, for several months I had talked to him about filing for office and finally he decided to run on my urging. And his reluctance all along was that he didn't know whether he had time to be involved in the campaign so that was, he didn't really need my help but...

PARKER: Your urging huh?

WASSON: I talked him into it, let's put it that way. And he didn't have the time to devote to it as much as he would like to so that was my motivation in helping him.

PARKER: Okay. What made you decide to encourage these particular candidates?

WASSON: Because of a similar philosophy about government. Both of them are in business and my view of what had gone on for all of the time that I had been on the city council was that I was the only businessman on the council. I was the only one who knew what it meant to handle money effectively and, well I don't think you want to get into philosophy do you?

PARKER: Well, that explains it, your interests as far as business you felt that that was necessary on the council.

WASSON: Right. We had the same views about fiscal policies.

PARKER: Okay. So it sounds like you approached Mr. Peterson?

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: To encourage him.

WASSON: Well the first thing he told me was that our approach was all wrong. My approach was straight on, confrontational and he said that's the wrong way to go.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: He said you've got to be nice to be effective. And so we kind of changed our approach a little bit.

PARKER: Okay. And what other kinds of advice or help did he give you?

WASSON: Well he advised on the content of the flyers.

PARKER: And anything else?

WASSON: That was probably about it as far as the campaign was concerned.

PARKER: Okay. He contracted with McGuire Research to do a survey and advocacy calls.

WASSON: Okay.

PARKER: And did he discuss that with you?

WASSON: No. Not at all.]

PARKER: Okay. Are you aware of the survey that was done and the calls that had been placed?

WASSON: I don't have any knowledge of it but I've heard a lot about it.]

PARKER: You didn't receive any calls?

WASSON: During the campaign I received one advocacy call but there wasn't any identification of where it came from.

PARKER: Okay. Tom Hujar paid McGuire Research \$4,000 for surveys prior to the campaign or prior to the election, excuse me. He paid them the \$4,000 on October 10th and then he paid McGuire Research another \$5,000 on October 23rd for get out the vote calls, which covered Mr. Peterson and Maggie Steenrod. And then he paid another \$1,000 on October 31st for advocacy calls for Richard Benjamin.

WASSON: Okay.

PARKER: Did you contribute any money to those?

WASSON: No I did not.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: And I wasn't aware of them. I wasn't aware, this is the first time I've heard of any, of his doing that. I've heard rumors to that effect. That there were calls from a company like that but that's the only knowledge I have.

PARKER: How much money did you pay Tom Hujar?

WASSON: \$1,000.

PARKER: Okay. Do you have a record of that or a copy of the check? Because he said you paid him \$2,000.

WASSON: No, I only have a copy of the, I could get a copy of the check.

PARKER: A bank record.

WASSON: Right. I have a record of the payment.

PARKER: Okay. Because what he had stated in his testimony was that he paid McGuire Research for the get out the vote calls and then he paid them on FDR checks which I have copies of, and then he told me that you then sent him \$2,000 to cover the cost of those get out the vote calls.

WASSON: No. It was only \$1,000.

PARKER: And he seemed to indicate that you were aware of the calls and that's part of what your payment was for.

WASSON: No, that was not the case.

PARKER: Okay. How many times did you meet with Mr. Hujar?

WASSON: During the election, probably, it might have been as many as half a dozen times. But I had several telephone conversations with him.

PARKER: Okay. Do you recall did he tell you that Richard Benjamin was the weakest candidate and would need more money in his campaign?

WASSON: No. I don't remember that specifically because I remember one of the suggestions that he made that during the campaign Richard had his fiancée write personal letters to voters and that was at the suggestion of Mr. Hujar. And so when I suggested that to Richard he went ahead and perused that. I remember specifically Mr. Hujar telling me that if he did that all of the women would vote for him.

PARKER: okay.

WASSON: Because his fiancée had a small child and he assumed responsibility for raising her child. That that would, advertising that would...

PARKER: Did that work?

WASSON: Well I'm not sure because he only won by 6 or 7 votes.

PARKER: Right. That was a close race. So you're saying that you did not arrange the meeting between Tom Hujar and Hank Hopkins.

WASSON: No. Absolutely not.

PARKER: Okay. Have you discussed, did you discuss the campaign prior to the election with Hank Hopkins or anyone from WESTCOT Company?

WASSON: Yes I did.

PARKER: Okay. Can you tell me about that?

WASSON: They, well actually specific to Hank Hopkins, I had never met anybody else other than he.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: He had been lobbying me to try and get permission for the conveyor belt. And when it came election time he inquired of who

was running and what I thought the prospects were. I think that's probably about the extent of it.

PARKER: Did you ever discuss with him providing any kind of support to any of the candidates?

WASSON: Yes. They, he offered support and I told him that I didn't think it would be, I didn't think it would be accepted by the candidates because obviously if he gave them support they'd expect something for it.

PARKER: And what was his response?

WASSON: It was acceptance of what I told him.

PARKER: Okay. Do you know if he made any contribution to either of the candidates?

WASSON: I don't believe so. I don't, no, no I don't believe he made any contributions to any of the candidates.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: But I don't know that he didn't.

PARKER: Right, but not to your knowledge?

WASSON: Not to my knowledge and my strong belief that he didn't.

PARKER: Okay and so it was...

WASSON: Because I'm sure that I would have known about it.

PARKER: Okay. Were you ever present at any meetings between Tom Hujar and Hank Hopkins?

WASSON: Yes, I think I was. At a restaurant for coffee one time. But I can't put my finger on what exactly the topic of conversation was but I'm sure that it touched on the campaign.

PARKER: Okay. Do you recall was there any discussion of Hank Hopkins or WESTCOT Company supporting the campaigns of Mr. Benjamin, Mr. Peterson or Ms. Steenrod financially or in any other way?

a while to see what progress on their position was on the conveyor system.

PARKER: And can you explain for me for the record your interests in that. Why you were interested in that.

HOPKINS: Westcot was proposing to the City of Des Moines a conveyor, that a conveyor system be used to construct the third runway.

PARKER: And your company would like to contract to do that? Was that your purpose? Can you explain.

HOPKINS: My company was interested in offering to the port as a bidder, the possibility of building the runway from material that would be moved by conveyor.

PARKER: Okay. And so what part did the city council play in this for Westcot Company?

HOPKINS: Well Westcot Company had to submit to the city a proposal for using the park plans and the property of the city. And we were also going to submit permit, applications for permits.

PARKER: Thank you. So you first met with Mr. Wasson around the end of September is that correct?

HOPKINS: No. The first meeting, I'm not sure what the question is can you?

PARKER: When you met with Mr. Wasson at first.

HOPKINS: Regarding?

PARKER: Regarding the city council...

HOPKINS: Oh, yes I believe it was the end of September, near the end of it.

PARKER: Okay. And who initiated the contacts? I wasn't clear.

HOPKINS: Sometimes, most of the time it would have been myself but I can't remember exactly.

PARKER: Okay. And what were those discussions about? When you met with Mr. Wasson regarding the City Council race.

HOPKINS: I was curious to know what was going on in general with the city's position. Because of the history the city had been opposing anything to do with the third runway.

PARKER: Did you have discussions about the candidates running for city council?

HOPKINS: He mentioned to me that he felt the upcoming election, it would have some new candidates running.

PARKER: And how would that relate to Westcot? Why would that be of interest to you?

HOPKINS: Oh, I thought that from his discussion that he was indicating that maybe there would be a new philosophy put forth by the new candidates that were running. I didn't know that, I was trying to find that out.

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: What was Mr. Wasson's position on the third runway?

HOPKINS: His position was he was against the runway as a councilperson. As far as I know. I mean that's my guess. I don't know what his real positions are.

PARKER: Okay. Did Don Wasson discuss with you the possibility of Westcot Company contributing to any of the candidates for the city council race?

HOPKINS: Yes, he did.

PARKER: Can you tell me about that please?

HOPKINS: He just mentioned that if the people running for the council positions had some help perhaps that group might have a chance to be elected.

PARKER: Did he mention any in particular?

HOPKINS: No, he didn't tell me names. I can't recall if he did.

PARKER: And did you agree to give any support to the candidates?

HOPKINS: I did not agree to give support to the candidates. I did respond to his request or his suggestion that support to him might be given to him to help him and his cause and the general cause.

PARKER: And so did you give some support to him?

HOPKINS: Yes I did.

PARKER: Can you tell me about that?

HOPKINS: I gave him a check for \$1,000. I'm not sure the date of it.

PARKER: Do you remember about?

HOPKINS: It was near the end of September. Near that time.

PARKER: okay. And what was that check for? What was the purpose of that?

HOPKINS: Just in general I assume to assist his efforts to help out this new group of people. I don't have any details or anything. I didn't know, he didn't say anything about details.

STUTZMAN: Was it a contribution to his campaign?

HOPKINS: No because he wasn't running.

STUTZMAN: He wasn't running, that's right.

PARKER: And so did he tell you what that check would be used for?

HOPKINS: No. I had no idea.

PARKER: And was the check made out to him?

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: Okay. Did you have any other expenditures relating to the Des Moines City Council race?

HOPKINS: At that time?

PARKER: At that time or even later.

HOPKINS: Later we did. Yes we chose later to respond to some requests.

PARKER: And what requests were those?

HOPKINS: From Tom Hujar.

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: Before you get into that, I just want to explore a little bit on the \$1,000. Were you intending for this to go to specific candidates?

HOPKINS: No. Not at all.

STUTZMAN: Okay. What was your understanding of how the money would be used?

HOPKINS: I had no idea except just to help in his general, his helping the cause, if you will for new thoughts or new people to come into the council.

STUTZMAN: Was it your understanding that he would use this money to assist candidates?

HOPKINS: I had no idea what he was going to do with it, I just responded to that request.

STUTZMAN: And what did he say he wanted the money for?

HOPKINS: He didn't say. He didn't say anything. He just said that it would be a help and that he would use it to help the general good of those people. That's all I knew.

STUTZMAN: Did he indicate that he would be helping their campaigns?

HOPKINS: No. He didn't say that. I can't recall his ever saying that. He just said that he would use that money to help the general cause was the term that I remember.

PARKER: You've already answered this somewhat but I would like to ask specifically, so bear with me. Did you make any contribution, you or Westcot Company, to Richard Benjamin?

HOPKINS: No.

PARKER: Did you make, you or Westcot, make any contribution to Gary Peterson?

HOPKINS: No.

PARKER: Did you or Westcot make any contributions to Maggie Steenrod?

HOPKINS: No.

PARKER: Any contributions to Mike Foote?

HOPKINS: No.

PARKER: Thank you. You've mentioned Tom Hujar. When did you first meet Tom Hujar?

HOPKINS: Oh I think I, as I recall I met him on a project. I think it must have been maybe a year ago if it was that long ago and it was a different project. I work as a technical consultant on various projects and that's when I met him.

PARKER: I see. And so you met with Tom Hujar in regards to the city council race? The Des Moines city council race.

HOPKINS: After contact was made from, apparently by Don Wasson.

PARKER: Okay. So Don Wasson asked you to contact Tom Hujar or Tom Hujar contacted you?

HOPKINS: Well Don Wasson asked me if I knew of anybody that could help him in his efforts at a later date.]

PARKER: I see.

HOPKINS: It was at a later date.

PARKER: I see.

HOPKINS: And I responded by saying I would think about it.

PARKER: And because you had known Tom Hujar previously that's how you knew about him?

HOPKINS: I knew of him. I didn't really know him that well. I just knew of him as a political consultant or, I didn't really know his capabilities that well. I understood that he was a political consultant.

PARKER: I see. And what did Don Wasson say the reasons that he wanted someone?

HOPKINS: He didn't give me any reason other than he said he didn't some help in his efforts to the general cause that I had talked about before.

STUTZMAN: And what was his description of the general cause?

HOPKINS: He didn't describe it that much to me. He really didn't. He just said he was hoping to help new people running for council. He didn't tell me what that was.

STUTZMAN: And why were you supporting this general cause?

HOPKINS: Because we, over many years before that, to us many years had been trying to get our project acknowledged and approved by the city and the council before that historically wouldn't even talk to us about some things. I mean they wouldn't even, they denied us so we were naturally interested in seeing if there was some new blood if you will, new faces with open mindedness that might come in handy.

STUTZMAN: Did you have any idea what the positions of the new candidates were?

HOPKINS: Absolutely not I didn't even know the new candidates. I was just interested in general that anything different from what was there would be a possibility.

PARKER: I'm confused though if Don Wasson's position was against the third runway but he was looking at Westcot Company perhaps assisting

the cause of getting some new council members who might not be opposed, I don't understand that.

HOPKINS: My guess, assuming you're asking me a question here, my guess would be that the city had been spending a lot of money fighting the runway as a member of the ACC and I believe that there were a lot of people in Des Moines, at least I could tell by the feeling when you go there, that there were thoughts that they shouldn't be spending more money on the fight but still they could be against the runway. And so that's probably, I mean that's the only way I can reconcile that question myself. That's my guess. You probably should ask him why that difference is but that's how I see it. They didn't want to spend more money.

PARKER: Did you meet together with Don Wasson and Tom Hujar? The three of you to discuss the election?

HOPKINS: One time later, at a later date.

PARKER: And what was discussed at that meeting?

HOPKINS: I believe when Nate called me to go to the meeting it was to generally determine or find out the temperature if you will, of the new candidates, that was later in time.

PARKER: Later in time about when?

HOPKINS: Oh I can't remember exactly when it was. I can't remember now exactly when it was but it was long after this period of time that we just discussed about the end of September time frame.

PARKER: So after the end of September but prior to the election?

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: Prior...

HOPKINS: Yes, I believe it was but I'm not certain of that even. I'm going to have to check and make sure.

HOPKINS: All we knew was that a poll was done. Because my discussions with Tom Hujar were simple. He was the one that conducted everything. We just gave him the resource to do it.

PARKER: Oh, okay. So you arranged with him to do a poll or a survey?

HOPKINS: Okay. And at that time I didn't know who was doing it.

PARKER: I see.

HOPKINS: Tom Hujar took care of that.

PARKER: Oh, okay.

VANCE: But, and my final point of clarification, I believe this poll that Mr. Hopkins is talking about and correct me if I am incorrect is or was for Hank's company.

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: For Westcot Company?

VANCE: Or for related companies.

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: Okay. Thank you.

VANCE: And that, but Ms. Parker you're asking about what may be subsequent calling as I read the PDC complaints.

PARKER: Well right now I'm talking about the poll and the survey and we'll get to that.

VANCE: Okay. I'm sorry for interrupting.

PARKER: Oh no, thanks for clarifying that. That's helpful. And that's my next question, you've already answered it but Tom Hujar is the one that made the arrangements with McGuire Research.

HOPKINS: Yes. He was responsible. I don't know with whom he made them. All I know is that he was responsible to get a poll done. I don't

even know the names of the parties. I didn't know until later I found out.

PARKER: Okay. So who was payment made to then?

HOPKINS: Tom Hujar.

PARKER: It was made to Tom Hujar?

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: And how much was that payment for the poll?

HOPKINS: \$29,000

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: Was that made payable to Tom Hujar?

HOPKINS: FDR Services.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

PARKER: Then who, did Mr. Hujar make up the questions in the survey or did you make up those questions?

HOPKINS: I have no idea what he did. All I did was offer and give him the resources to do that and that's all I know.

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: Did you give him general parameters, the type of information you wanted to learn?

HOPKINS: We just, he knew that we wanted to find out what the people of Des Moines generally felt about the runway and the conveyor. That's all. That's all I said. We needed to know that, generally.

STUTZMAN: Did you ask to also learn about the individual candidates?

HOPKINS: No. I didn't.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Do you know if the poll included questions about the individual candidates?

HOPKINS: No. I had no idea what they actually were. All I was interested in finding out was what were, what was the thinking of the people of

Des Moines. Would they generally be supportive or not. That was the information we really wanted to determine.

PARKER: Did you receive the results of the poll?

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: And what did you receive? What were you given?

HOPKINS: Just a sheet showing I believe some of the answers to some of the questions that they asked.

PARKER: Did you receive the answers to all the questions?

HOPKINS: I don't recall what they all were because I was only focusing on really two questions in my mind. Were they against the runway, how many were against the runway. How many were supportive of continuing, for the city to continue supplying money to the runway fight against the runway. And their viewpoint on the conveyor system. That was all I really wanted to know. I have no idea what, how polls are run or the way cooperatives do their thing or whatever.

PARKER: How did you get those results? Was that in a report?

HOPKINS: Yes.

PARKER: Was that a written document? Was that statistics?

HOPKINS: No, it was I believe a summary sheet. The final poll of the numbers and it indicated there was a general support that would be favorable for the conveyor.

PARKER: Did the report that you got give you a breakdown of how many were in favor or not of each question?

HOPKINS: Yeah, I think it did but I can't recall without going back and looking at it. I focused on just those general issues. That was my interest.

In our opinion if that turned out to be negative we would not have probably gone further in any kind of consideration of the project.

PARKER: Okay. Because I received a copy of the poll. I got a copy of the questions that were asked from McGuire Research and there were four questions on there asking specifically about the four candidates, Benjamin, Steen rod, Peterson and Foote. Asking something along the lines of do you plan to vote for this candidate and gave them a choice. So...

HOPKINS: I see. I don't even remember focusing on them myself. I really don't. I was focusing on that general issue.

PARKER: Okay. Why do you suppose Tom Hujar would have put those questions in the poll if your company wasn't interested in the specific races?

HOPKINS: Well I don't because he's a political person that handles those things and that's probably his decision. I mean I had no idea what he was going to do with, what to do or how to do it. I don't know that much about political campaigns and polling and stuff. I just know enough I should find out from somebody who does.

PARKER: Did you share the results of the poll with anyone?

HOPKINS: Only with my own group, internal group.

PARKER: Did you share it with Don Wasson?

HOPKINS: No.

PARKER: And why was that?

HOPKINS: Because it was done for our sake. We wanted to know what we were going to be looking at.

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: When you say you shared the results with your internal group, who would that be?

HOPKINS: Well I believe as I recall he said that they had to have the funds in a rather hurry, big hurry because it was during the election time. And requested that they be in cashier check form because it took time for us to process in our own system a check that has to clear and do all this. He asked me to give him a cashier's check.

STUTZMAN: Were they cashier's checks that you personally purchased?

HOPKINS: Yes.

STUTZMAN: Were you subsequently reimbursed from your company?

HOPKINS: Well they were purchased by the company not my me in person.

PARKER: You're saying checks. Was there more than one?

HOPKINS: Yes. There were I believe two or maybe three.

PARKER: Okay. Was it requested that they be two or three instead of one?

HOPKINS: No, no, it's cash flow. We have to get money in the bank to make sure we can cover a check and it was a rather last minute request type thing. So we were responding in a time zone that required us to move very quickly.

STUTZMAN: You indicated earlier that there was a breakout sometime after the election of how that \$20,000 was spent.

HOPKINS: Yes.

STUTZMAN: Can you recall exactly after the top of your head. Does that breakout still exist in written form?

HOPKINS: I believe there is, yes I believe there is a breakout form with the breakout of the money.

STUTZMAN: We'd like to get a copy of that.

HOPKINS: Okay. Sure.

STUTZMAN: Would you like a formal request for that?

HOPKINS: No. I don't profess to have any knowledge of their expertise in that area and I wouldn't even try.

STUTZMAN: And again what was the purpose of your releasing \$20,000. What did you hope to accomplish?

HOPKINS: Well I was hoping that a new thought or a new group of people with new thoughts, open minds would come into the council. That was my main...

STUTZMAN: Was it your intent that this money be used to assist candidates who in your view perhaps had an open mind?

HOPKINS: No candidates per se. It was primarily given for campaign costs and not oriented towards any candidates. The candidates never were brought up per se in those discussions.

STUTZMAN: When you say campaign costs but not candidates could you explain that?

HOPKINS: Just like I said before, signs and whatever political people do in campaigns for phones and advertising, yard signs, whatever they do.

STUTZMAN: What was your understanding of what those signs would say?

HOPKINS: I had no idea. It never even got to that level.

STUTZMAN: It was a candidate election, city council election so was it your understanding that they would be yard signs about candidates?

HOPKINS: No. I had no idea beyond the general support issue. Just saying to Mr. Hujar if you need this for your costs of your campaign we're willing to give it to you.

STUTZMAN: I'm a little confused about that you perceived his campaign to be.

HOPKINS: I didn't perceive it, I didn't know. All I know is he's an expert. He's the guy that knows what's going on and that's how I operate my business. If I have somebody that needs to do a special project

phone banks or whatever else they do. I'm sure there is a lot of other items that are included in campaigns that I'm not aware of.

STUTZMAN: So you had, it sounds like you had described to him in general they type of person you wanted elected and you just trusted him to work to get those types of people elected?

HOPKINS: No. I didn't describe any kind of person at all. I had responded because we had a poll that indicated that the public in Des Moines was wanting a change. The majority of people said that they didn't want to fight...

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HOPKINS: Sure. I believe that I was saying that in general we were focused on the position that the people of Des Moines were expressing a support of not continuing the fight as far as putting money into the fight. The still might have been opposed to the runway but they were indicating that they would be more supportive. We interpreted it that way at least. That they would be more supportive of the conveyor project and that's why we proceeded. Because it's our only chance.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

PARKER: I don't have any more unless you do.

STUTZMAN: Could we take a break for a few minutes?

VANCE: Absolutely. Sure.

PARKER: Okay. We've taken a short break and we're back on the record.

STUTZMAN: Did Tom Hujar discuss with you at all at the time that you give him the \$20,000 about any reporting requirements that you might have with the Public Disclosure Commission?

HOPKINS: No. He didn't mention those. I did ask him if everything was okay in the sense for us to do this and I took his answer as yes it's okay.

And that meant to me if there was anything wrong or would have been wrong I would have been told. But I didn't hear anything that there was anything wrong with it so I assumed it's okay.

STUTZMAN: And what did you understand okay to mean? As far as legality?

HOPKINS: Oh, I assumed there wouldn't be anything illegal about it.

STUTZMAN: Did he mention any need to report any of these expenses by anyone?

HOPKINS: No. Not to me.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Did you ask him about any reporting issues?

HOPKINS: No. I just asked him if it's okay. I mean I assumed it was alright. That's all I asked him.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Did Mr. Hujar indicate to you that he would be spending any of the money to elect candidates?

HOPKINS: No he didn't identify that per se. Later, subsequent report of expenses that I mentioned to you. It was an item that said something like cash expenditures, I don't know what the word was maybe contributions, either one and I never really understood what that was. But that's all.

STUTZMAN: And that came after the election?

HOPKINS: That was a long way after that was like in two months or a month and a half, two months later.

STUTZMAN: Did he give you any update prior to the election of how he was spending the money?

HOPKINS: No he didn't. I didn't have much contact about that at all. Basically after I gave him the \$20,000 he just went to work.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Go ahead.

VANCE: Do you, with regard to the \$20,000 do you know Hank whether you gave him \$20,000 before the election or some of it before the election and some of it after? To the best of your recollection.

HOPKINS: I think I gave, that's right I'm remembering. We pledged to give him \$20,000 and I think what we actually wound up giving him prior to the election was a portion, half or something like that. And then we later gave him the balance of whatever that 20 was. I think that's what I recall.

STUTZMAN: But you do know that you did end up giving a total of \$20,000?

HOPKINS: Yes I believe that's correct. It could have been less but it wasn't any more.

STUTZMAN: Okay. With what you know now. Do you know whether a portion of the \$20,000 was used for advocacy calls concerning candidates?

HOPKINS: I really don't know what Tom Hujar did with those funds. I mean I really did rely on his ability to take care of whatever he does with his expertise in political work. So I, even if he mentioned it I wouldn't have remembered it.

STUTZMAN: Did you learn after the election that some of the money was used for the advocacy calls?

VANCE: Advocacy calls, just be clear what you mean by that.

STUTZMAN: Telephone calls made to prospective voters regarding the candidates. Encouraging them how to vote.

HOPKINS: Only in that written summary report did I see a line item in there indicating and I'm not even sure whether that's what you're talking about, but I would say as I recall it there probably was an item in there for that. I'd have to look at it again myself and see.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

HUJAR: You know, I don't think I do. Oh wait a minute, in Sane Transit I might have. In Sane Transit I might have.

PARKER: So in the State of Washington you're not, other than the Des Moines race, you're not doing consulting. Is that correct?

HUJAR: I'm not doing any political consulting. I don't think that I have done, again I'll look through my calendar but I am not doing any political work currently in the State of Washington and the only work that I can think of that I have done in the last three years was with the Des Moines city council race.

PARKER: Okay. Why don't you go ahead and tell me about what you did with them.

HUJAR: In September of last year I was called by a gentleman named of Don Wasson who had told me that he was searching for a political consultant to help him in his campaign. And he had told me that he actually wanted to hire somebody from the Madison Group but that in fact they either turned him down or they weren't interested in the race. I talked to him on the phone about the race and he told me he had very limited money that he could put into the race and I told him that I would be happy to give him verbal advice and I would provide strategy for him but for \$2,000 I think it was \$2,000, there was very little work that I could possibly do for him.

PARKER: Okay. So what work did you end up doing? Is that what you were paid was \$2,000?

HUJAR: You bet, I think he paid me \$2,000 yes.

PARKER: Okay. What kind of form was that? Was that personal check was that, how?

HUJAR: It was a check. It was a check that he gave to me and I'm almost certain that it was a personal check on his behalf.

PARKER: Okay. In the subpoena, did you ever see the subpoena? So you didn't bring any documents?

HUJAR: Yeah, I did see the subpoena.

PARKER: Did you bring any documents?

HUJAR: Well, let me finish and then you'll see there was very little that I did for him.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: Part of the problem is that when I communicate with my clients I do it by email and Don Wasson is a neophyte when it comes to emails. I don't even know if he knows how to turn his computer on. And it was, I didn't communicate with him through the email and for the amount of money that he was spending I paid him very little, I just talked to him on the phone. If you're asking what services I've provided, I went and I met with, Don had explained to me that he had been a city council member for a number of years, that he was tired of always being on the losing end of a 6 to 1 vote and he wanted to earnestly work for candidates who would support him in trying to change the policies of Des Moines. He wanted me to provide strategic advice to candidates that would support him and his policies. So the deal was was that I would meet with these candidates, I would talk to them, I would go back to Don and I would give him strategic advice. I would give him copies of brochures from other campaigns that I had used to give to these candidates. I would give him an assessment of what I thought each candidate needed to do in order to win and where his resources should go.

PARKER: Okay. So did you meet with candidates?

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: Which ones?

HUJAR: I met with a gentlemen named Mike Foote. And maybe what I should do is I should tell you what the individual, what I did for each candidate.

PARKER: Sure.

HUJAR: So, I met with Mike Foote and I talked with him about his race. I believe I met with him twice. However during the course of my, from the first discussion to the second discussion a television station reported that Mike had been arrested and had pleaded either guilty or no contentra, I can't remember which one. And I had told Don that there was no way that this guy was going to win and that he shouldn't put any resources into the campaign. So I believe that, I don't think I did anything. I may have given him copies of some brochures, I may have given him some strategic, in fact I did tell him, I did give him some strategic advice about how I thought he should handle the scene that was coming up. That's about all that I did with Mike Foote.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: In terms of Gary Peterson, it was an unusual candidate because this was a gentleman who immediately after the primary left two weeks to go on vacation and had not spent anytime what so ever even in making a voter pamphlet statement. And I think that I met Gary once or twice. And I talked with him briefly about his campaign. I then sat down later on with Don and told him, gave him strategic advice. I told him that I thought Gary probably was

going to win the race but that he needed to have some assistance and I told him what that assistance should be.

PARKER: Which was?

HUJAR: I told him that he needed to have mailings, he had to be in the newspaper. That he had to be substantive because it was clear that although he had name ID that people really didn't know what he stood for. So in terms of direct mailing, in terms of, I told him the type of universes that he should use. I believe that I gave him copies of some brochures that I thought he needed to utilize and I advised him that he needed to do some print advertising. The third person is Maggie Steenrod and I met with Maggie once. Maggie's position on this was that she hated politicians. She didn't want to be a politician, she didn't want to run a campaign like a politician and that she rejected all of the advice that I gave to her. Except for, well I take that back at the first meeting. It was a very contentious discussion that I had with her. And then the fourth candidate that I met with was a candidate named Richard Benjamin and it was very clear to me that Richard Benjamin was probably the weakest of the three candidates. Not of, oh if you take Mike Foote out of the equation, that Benjamin was the weakest candidate and he was running against the strongest candidate in the field. And that he needed the largest amount of assistance and probably needed to run by far the most expensive campaign. So I went back and I give this assessment to Don Wasson. I may have told him, well I did I told him specifically what all of the candidates needed. The type of assistance that they needed and how much money I thought they would have to spend.

PARKER: Okay. Where did you meet with these people?

HUJAR: Mike Foote I met at the Denny's at the SeaTac airport, near the SeaTac airport. Richard Benjamin I met at the same place. Maggie Steenrod wouldn't meet with me other than at her office and Don Wasson was almost exclusively, I think it was exclusively at his business.

PARKER: Wasson or Peterson?

HUJAR: Don Wasson. And Peterson, Gary Peterson I met at his company, towing company.

PARKER: Okay. Did you ever meet with Peterson anywhere else?

HUJAR: Gary Peterson?

PARKER: Uh-huh.

HUJAR: I don't think, because he was gone, he was a phantom candidate I think I only met him once or twice. I'm almost certain, I'm certain that I met him at his place of work.

PARKER: Okay. What about representing him in Olympia at the State Auditors office?

HUJAR: Okay well you're talking about first the political campaign and if you don't mind so we can do this, during the, after my discussion with Don Wasson Don told me that he did not have the money, nor did these candidates have the money to do these races. And I talked with him about people who could contribute to these races. Don told me that the one person, the one company that would be most interested in this project was the WESCOT Company. And I suggested to Don that Don call these people up and try and raise money from them. Don called them up and the WESCOT Company, a guy named Hank Hopkins asked if I could meet with him. So I met with Hank, I think in Bellevue but I'm not certain.

And Hank talked to me about whether or not I could, whether the races were winnable, what type of candidates there were. Just a variety of different questions. And he and Don had a friendship, a relationship for a significant amount of time. So I told Hank that my assessment was that because there was a, that in order for Don Wasson to win, take over the city council, he had to win basically three out of three races. It was a long shot. But that given enough resources I could almost guarantee that he could win. And I just said that it was a matter of resources and if Don was willing to raise some money or contribute the money that I was fairly certain I could win all three races. Hank had told me that his company had done a survey, a market survey for his project with Gogerty and Associates around 4 or 5 years ago and that they were planning on going out in the field with another survey to test whether or not their project had any viability or not and asked me if taking a poll and adding on a few horse race questions would be a wise investment of their resources. And I told him it would. So they took a survey and in order to save money I hired McGuire Research to do the survey on their behalf. It was a survey I think around two thirds issues and I think four questions on the horse race. And the poll came back. I went and I made a presentation to Hopkins. I advised him before hand that if in fact he shared any of this information with Don or with anyone else that he would have to report it to the PDC and that as an independent expenditure and that I informed Don of the very same thing. So I gave this, the poll to Hank Hopkins and his group. They made an assessment and told me they would be willing to contribute to the campaign.

PARKER: Did they give any other details as far as contributing? How much or to whom? Any kind of breakdown?

HUJAR: Well they told me, we had the discussion of what needed to be done and I told them that first of all Maggie Steenrod had told me that she didn't want any assistance what so ever and that she was going to run her own campaign and that she was completely out of the mix. And I said that Gary Peterson probably needed a significant amount of assistance because he was out of town and was an absent candidate. I said that really the money had to go into Richard Benjamin's campaign. That he was running against a strong candidate and on the face of it in terms of his background and qualifications was the weakest candidate.

PARKER: Okay. Do you have any knowledge how much money WESTCOT put into each of these candidates? Any details?

HUJAR: I think you're going to have to talk to Don Wasson about that. I have some knowledge of expenditures that were made through me but I have no knowledge of if other money was given to Don Wasson. I don't know.

PARKER: Okay. Tell me about the expenditures made through you then.

HUJAR: One of the, one of the things that had to be done, it was very clear was to do a telephone, persuasion phone call on behalf of the candidates. Don had told me that in the last election for city council that the people who were against the third runway project had used phone banks, paid phone banks in order to win the election. And he specifically said that that was one of the things that he wanted to do and I concurred with him. I thought that that was something

that they should do. And the WESCOT Company gave a check]
for, I believe \$5,000.

PARKER: And is that what went to McGuire?

HUJAR: That's what went to McGuire Research.

PARKER: Okay. Did it go to you first and then you wrote a check to McGuire or did it go directly to McGuire?

HUJAR: Actually because there was hardly any time involved in all of this I believe that I sent a check to McGuire before I received a check from either Don or WESCOT. The check clearly was from WESCOT but I'm not sure if I got the check from Don or from WESCOT, I can't remember.

PARKER: Okay. Was there other money that went to McGuire then? Than the \$5,000?

HUJAR: For the campaign no. I'm almost certain it's \$5,000.

PARKER: Okay because the documents that I got from McGuire had more than that.

HUJAR: There was \$4,000 and then there was \$1,000 and then if you're referring to the poll...

PARKER: Right.

HUJAR: Okay now there was money for the poll that was done also. But that was not a political contribution because nobody had ever, to my knowledge, nobody was given any of the information that was within that poll.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: There, there, I have done work for, I have given work to McGuire for other projects. They did work for me for Sane Transit. We did a poll. I believe they also, I believe that they also did polling for me for the presidential race in Poland that I did because it was around

HUJAR: On page one, this shouldn't take long. On page one I was asked how long I was a political consultant and like everything it depends upon what your definition of a political consultant is. I was a paid political campaigner as early as in 1971 however intermittently I took my law degree and then I was chief of staff to Mike Lowery in his offices in Washington DC. And I then left him in 1981 or 82 and formed a political consultant firm called FDR Services so it's either instead of saying that it was 30 years it's either 20 years or 30 years depending upon how you would like to look at it.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: On page three I was asked some questions about the Olympic Institute and my testimony was accurate as far as my closing down the bank account however in hindsight I did use the Olympic Institute for a number of projects. One was the Sane Transit project in Seattle, which is an organization to stop the Sound Transit light rail system. I also used the Olympic Institute to do polling in the presidential campaign in Poland. And I also did some miscellaneous polling projects including one project for the King County Council. If you ask the reason why I use these even though in reality the Olympic Institute as a company was closed down, many of the non partisan clients that I have feel uncomfortable using a company called FDR Services and that was the reason why the Olympic Institute was originally formed. So that we could do non-partisan races and corporate and business accounts. And that is the reason why, I think, I used the Olympic Institute name to do the polling for the Westcot Company. However when the check was given to me, if you ever get a copy from them, you will see that

I signed it as the Olympic Institute/FDR Services and then deposited it in my FDR Services account. On page five, I was asked about communicating with Don Wasson and in fact that statement is correct in terms of how I communicated with him which was basically over the phone and in person. However there is a possibility that I did email him some information. I don't remember it. I did call up AOL, my server, and ask them if there was a way of getting my email and they had told me that they expunged it I think 30 days and that that the only way I could get it was from my hard drive and I have no idea how I get that if there is any there to begin with. On page six, I was asked a question regarding the candidates and I went individually with the candidates. Although you, and I spoke about the fact that I had done I had met with Mike Foote once or twice and I had talked with him and I gave him some advice on what to do. In reality I had also given him a \$500 personal contribution out of my personal checking account. This is not an amount that you would find in any of the accounts that you have asked me for and I'm voluntarily telling you this. I did not even remember that I made that \$500 contribution to Mike Foote until I was preparing data for my taxes and I saw that there was that \$500 contribution there.

PARKER: Do you remember what date that was?

HUJAR: No but I will be sending you copies of all of these checks that I am referring to. Page 12 we were talking about the work that was being done for the candidates and if you read the information we were jumping around from one place to another and I lost my train of thought in terms of the work that we did for all of the candidates. First and foremost is is that you and I, I had mentioned during the

course of this that there were persuasion calls made for the candidates we never really got into that. And in the page 12 and 13 when I was talking about the work that I had done for each of the candidates I had neglected to talk about the persuasion telephone calls that were done for these candidates. Although it was stated in other parts that that was in fact done for these people we didn't talk about it at that one section. And in fact there was a persuasion calls done for Maggie Steenrod, Richard Benjamin and Gary Peterson. There was also work done by Mike Snyder who I had hired to work with Don Wasson in writing brochures. And that was something else that I had forgot to include. Mike not only worked with Don closely in writing brochures and you'll have to talk to Don about this or to Mike because I'm not, I gave Mike a flat amount of money and I didn't really work with him as closely as Don did. But he did some work for, I know that he did some work for Richard Benjamin. He may have done some work for Gary Peterson. I know he did no work at all for Maggie Steenrod but you'll have to talk to Don about the perimeters of what his work was doing. And then on page 13 and this is the last one, I was asked by Ms. Parker who paid for my services in terms on contacting Brian Sonntag. In reality I'm not sure, no one, my answer was correct when I said that nobody paid for me that I had done it out of friendship for Gary Peterson. I'm not quite sure when that all occurred and at some point in time the Westcot Company did hire me and paid me some money to lobby, to work with the new elected majority. I can't remember if it was before or after I had contacted Brian Sonntag's office. So I just wanted to make that at

least as a clarification point. In my mind even if I was hired by the Westcot Company at that point in time I thought it was outside of the perimeters of what they hired me for and my, the reason why I contacted Brian Sonntag is the reason that I gave in the earlier testimony which was that Gary Peterson is a wonderful man and I thought he was being screwed. So those are the clarifications of the first testimony that I gave.

PARKER: Okay. Did you bring any documents today?

HUJAR: Yes. Shall I go through the items?

PARKER: Sure.

HUJAR: Number one, payments received by Tom Hujar, FDR Services or the Olympic Institute. All of the payments that I received by or within those above entities and quite frankly any money that I had received period, including in my personal account which was not included in the subpoena, was given to me by Hank Hopkins. I did receive a \$1,000 check from Don Wasson I believe either in late September or early October. And I believe that I had received a subsequent check from Don Wasson of \$1,000 in either November or December. I've listed the checks that I received from Hank Hopkins. The first was, I received three checks from them for \$29,000 for a market research survey and then I received an additional \$19,800 from them for a variety of political campaign activities. Do you want me to just go through all of this or are you going to just ask me questions?

PARKER: No, go ahead.

HUJAR: Number two you asked my copies of receipts. I never kept copies of any checks and nor did I provide a receipt to Mr. Hopkins for the money that I received. I have asked Bank of America for copies of

all of the bank statements and the checks for the time period you requested. The problem that I was not aware of was that in order to have checks made they tell me that it takes three weeks. I thought they would be ready yesterday when I went to the bank and they were not. They told me that it would be either available on Thursday or Friday. When I get those copies of the checks I will send all of that to you and I'll provide a list of the dates and the times as you requested. Don Wasson funds, number three. I received two checks from Mr. Wasson in the amount of \$1,000 each and I never passed any funds back to Mr. Wasson other than postage stamps that he requested that I purchase for him at one point in time.

PARKER: Would you explain that a little bit? He asked you to purchase postage stamps?

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: How many did you purchase or how much did you purchase?

HUJAR: Actually I purchased \$850 worth of postage stamps.

PARKER: Okay. And why did he ask you to do that?

HUJAR: Because he said that one of the candidates was doing a mailing and he said he needed postage stamps.

PARKER: And did, where did those funds come from that you used?

HUJAR: That was from the money that I had received from the Westcot Company.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: All of the money and everything that I am referring to here came from the Westcot Company as I stated. There was no other money

received either from Mr. Wasson or from anyone other than Hank Hopkins.

STUTZMAN: Did he tell you which candidate the postage stamps were for?

HUJAR: You know he might have but I honestly can't remember what it was for. He was, he was working, he was basically the campaign manager both for Gary Peterson and for Richard Benjamin. Gary Peterson was gone for the first two weeks after the primary. He wasn't even around. He was on vacation and he didn't even get his picture in the voter pamphlet statement. I don't, I know that he was involved in Maggie Steenrod's campaign but I'm not aware how much he was involved in that sense but I know that he was heavily involved in Peterson and Benjamin. And most of the questions in the conversations that he and I both had were related mainly to those two races. Number four the detailed summary. I listed a summary as I have it there although I don't think it's accurate and I need to find out when Bank of America gives me the copies of the checks how much money I spent of the \$19,800 for actual services. I do know that I gave \$5,000 to McGuire Research. There were two checks. One was a \$4,000 check and one was \$1,000. I've done a lot of business with them and I'm almost certain that that was the \$5,000 from McGuire Research was the money that was given for persuasion calls. I'm positive about that. Mike Snyder, again, we paid him I believe its \$4,750 that's what I have in my ledger. I paid \$850 in postage and then what I'm not sure is that if there are other expenses relative to this project and I will clarify that in the detailed summary that I send to you when I get the checks. In terms of number five, invoices. I almost in every case provided Don Wasson with invoices for the expenditures for each candidate

as they were made. I can't say that I did this all of the time but I am fairly certain that I did. If I didn't give it to him, if I didn't give him a written invoice then I clearly told him over the telephone exactly how much money he needed to attribute to each one of the campaigns.

STUTZMAN: Did you keep copies of those invoices?

HUJAR: No I didn't.

STUTZMAN: You don't have?

HUJAR: I don't have it.

PARKER: So those were the invoices from the vendors? From whatever...

HUJAR: No.

PARKER: What kind of invoices?

HUJAR: I would tell him, for instance for the persuasion calls I would say because he was doing the PDC work for the candidates I would tell him this is the amount of money that you need to attribute to each candidate for the work that was given. It was for his PDC filing. It wasn't for vendor filing at all. And as I think I said earlier on, McGuire Research in the 15 years that I've worked for him has never given me an invoice. He's never given me any paperwork at all that I can think of. And Mike Snyder clearly didn't. I mean that just isn't done.

STUTZMAN: How does McGuire bill you?

HUJAR: Over the telephone. You know I talk over the phone, I tell him what I want he says I need to send the check overnight to him, that's it. I don't know if that's common practice that he has for other people but in literally the 15 years I've work for him I don't think I've ever received an invoice from him.

STUTZMAN: And the invoices that you gave to Don Wasson, would they be FDR invoices?

HUJAR: I can't say again exclusively what that they were, but yeah I am fairly certain that I put the amounts that had to be attributed to each candidate. The reason that I know I did this is that we had this very serious problem with Maggie Steenrod and as I said in my earlier testimony, Maggie Steenrod did not want our assistance. She had told me that she was close to the \$3,500 mark and that she didn't even want to sit and talk with me because she was afraid that she would have to report it and she really did not want to have anything to do with it. And I had told her at the time I said Maggie there will be a point in time when the other side will send a negative mailing or a negative attack and you're going to want to talk to me. And if you want to talk to me, call me. And in essence that did happen. There was a negative attack. It was made, Don Wasson called me up and he said we've got to do persuasion calls for Maggie Steenrod. I said have you talked to Maggie about this because she told me specifically she can't do that. And he said I talked with her and you need to do it otherwise she is going to lose the race. And I then gave him I told him that, I don't know it was like, I can't even remember how much it was it was maybe \$1,200 worth of phone calls that was done.

STUTZMAN: When he said that he talked with her did he...

HUJAR: No he said I will talk to her and I will clear it with her but you need to go ahead otherwise she is going to lose.

STUTZMAN: Okay so it sounds like that was coordinated by Don with Maggie.

HUJAR: I can only tell you that Don, in nearly everything that was done in terms of the work that was done for these candidates was

coordinated completely through him. I think that if you talk to the candidates that Gary Peterson, I think I've only met with him, I know I've never met with him more than two times. I think I met with him only once. Richard Benjamin I'm sure I only met with two to three times. I don't think I met with him. And Maggie I think only met with once or twice at most.

STUTZMAN: Do you think the persuasion calls for Maggie were an independent, done independently by Don on her behalf or with her consent and coordination?

HUJAR: You know I don't know. Well you know what I take that back. She called me up and she said Tom somebody is making calls on my behalf, do you know who it is? And I said you need to talk to Don about that, you don't need to talk to me. I said I told her I can't answer that. You need to talk to Don about that.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

PARKER: So those were the calls through McGuire Research?

HUJAR: Those were the calls through McGuire Research. And Maggie in fact, my understanding was that she was making a lot of those personal phone calls herself. That when I did talk with her and I, I told her that she told me that she wasn't going to be making any phone calls or that she couldn't accept any phone calls because she'd go over the \$3,500 limit I suggested to her that she and her two sons and her husband make phone calls. And when she had called me up about these additional phone calls being made she had told me, she says I'm making a lot of, my husband and I are making a lot of these phone calls but we ran into a group of people

who said that they had already been called on my behalf. And I want to know who it was.

STUTZMAN: So that sounds like maybe she wasn't totally aware. We'll try to clarify that.

HUJAR: I included breakout of Hank Hopkins expenditures. I didn't even have this copy. Hank Hopkins called me up about this and told me that he was going through all of his records and he wanted me to note that this one expenditure that he had found out and I told him I said that even though it was given for you for a different purpose other than public disclosure requirements I told him to disclose it and since I had a copy of it I'm including it in my files here.

STUTZMAN: Do you have any of the backup material that, well first of all is this something that you created initially?

HUJAR: Yes. Yes it is.

STUTZMAN: Okay do you have any of the backup material that would support these numbers?

HUJAR: Well let me tell you in effect what happened. I had just flown in, this thing says its December, I had just flown in or I was just flying out I can't remember at this date. I believe that I had just flown in from Istanbul and I got, there were numerous phone calls for me from Hank Hopkins telling me that he wanted me to provide a summary, an expense summary for his group that was having a meeting on that date. I told him that not only was I jet lagged but that I had a difficult time putting a line item on all of this stuff and he said put together whatever you want but I need something for this meeting and that's what I did. It is not an accurate reflection of the actual expenses that were made. You know for instance the McGuire Research stuff I have a \$12,000, \$7,000 for persuasion

calls that wasn't there. You know I never used Anne Payne to do the writing and the graphics I just put it down there. But he told me and I told him when I called him up I said you know, this is not an accurate reflection. If you want one afterwards I'll give you one but I was just stressed and I needed to get something out to him. But in an effort for full disclosure I told Hank that I thought he needed to disclose this to you even though it's not what it appears to be and I'm including it in mine for you to look at. And when I get all of the checks I will give you a detailed summary of where all of the money was spent.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Now you say, why was Anne Payne's name put down?

HUJAR: Huh?

STUTZMAN: Why was Anne Payne's name?

HUJAR: Because I was trying to come up with a budget for \$49,000 when I'm jetlagged and I just put it. He knew that I had used a writer. He didn't know that I had used Mike Snyder to do the writing.

STUTZMAN: So actually Mike Snyder did all of the writing?

HUJAR: Mike Snyder did. Mike Snyder did the writing or I did the writing.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

HUJAR: But as you will see when I provide you copies of the checks there is no check at all made to Anne Payne. The checks to McGuire Research did not total over \$12,000. I even think that the amount of money that Mike Snyder got was more than \$2,500. I believe that the amounts over there were accurate in terms of the payments that were made.

STUTZMAN: Do you know what the total was to McGuire Research?

HUJAR: I believe that it was \$10,000. McGuire Research received \$10,000.

HUJAR: I, from McGuire Research for the persuasion calls or for the...

PARKER: From the survey.

HUJAR: From the survey McGuire Research gave me cross tabs for all of the questions. I then took the survey that Westcot Company had from the Gogerty firm. A lot of the questions that were asked in my survey were identical questions that were asked in the Gogerty survey that was taken three or four years ago. And then what I did when I wrote the analysis was I made a comparative analysis how people's attitude had changed over the course of that three or four year time period broken out by demographic groups.

PARKER: So you prepared an analysis?

HUJAR: I wrote a detailed, it took me five days four or five days to write, to do this comparative analysis of people's views of the Westcot Company and whatever other things that we asked. And then I wrote an analysis for them.

PARKER: And then what did you do with that?

HUJAR: I made, I provided a copy, I provided copies to Hank Hopkins and then I did a presentation with slides. I did a presentation with, yes with an overhead projection to members of the Westcot Company and then I answered their questions.

PARKER: So Hank Hopkins was given a copy of that?

HUJAR: Hank Hopkins was given of number of copies of it, yes.

STUTZMAN: Can you tell us just in general terms what that report was about?

HUJAR: Oh God. The Gogerty Firm was hired as a public affairs consultant to write an analysis and to draft a strategy on how the Westcot Company could garner public opinion to support the beltline project. And it asked a series of questions about the beltline both

thought there was more to it than this. So one, two, three, there is four questions.

PARKER: And who chose those questions?

HUJAR: Who chose what questions?

PARKER: The horserace questions.

HUJAR: I chose those questions.

PARKER: Okay. Did Hank Hopkins have any input into that? Or did he request you to do, in our interview before...

HUJAR: He in fact asked me, yes. He had told me that part of, he wanted part of the survey to be a testing of whether or not they had a chance at winning the race.

PARKER: So he asked you specifically?

HUJAR: Oh absolutely. And I gave him a copy of this survey and he read it and he went over the whole thing.

PARKER: Okay. Because when I interviewed him he said he didn't know anything about any candidate questions, wasn't aware of any, didn't get any results. I wonder why he'd say that.

HUJAR: I, you know I've learned in 20 or 30 years of political consulting that if you think I am going to go out with a survey without having my client see it before hand I'd be crazy. I mean there isn't a political consultant in the world who would do a survey without having the client okay it.

PARKER: Why do you think he would tell me that he didn't know anything about it?

HUJAR: You know I am not going to speculate on that.

PARKER: Guesses? Why do you think he might?

HUJAR: I don't know but I'm just telling you that on my end there is no way that I would do a survey without putting this in here. Secondly he asked me specifically to put these in here because he wanted to know before he went to his investor's group he wanted to know whether or not these races were winnable or not. Why would I, I mean that's it.

STUTZMAN: Is this the entire survey?

HUJAR: I don't believe that that's the entire survey. I think that there is at least four more, I'm almost certain there is another page of questions. I think this was the first draft. This looks to me like the first draft of the survey. It doesn't look like the entire survey.

PARKER: This is what McGuire sent me.

HUJAR: It looks to me, I'm almost certain that there were at least, I know in fact there were at least three more questions on here.

STUTZMAN: Well it looks like it goes from 10 to 14.

PARKER: 11, 12, 13...

HUJAR: And I just know that there were at least four more questions in there because I remember the length of the survey was dramatically different by the questions that we asked. So I can't answer why but I'm certain there were three or four more questions.

STUTZMAN: Did Don Wasson have any input into any of the horserace questions?

HUJAR: He had no input whatsoever. This was something that the Westcot Company, when I found out that when I met with them to pitch them for this to provide money for the city council races they obviously didn't know they only knew me for my reputation and they certainly weren't going to go about investing a significant amount of

money into these city council races without at least taking a poll. Or without talking with other people other than me. And it was just happenstance that Hank says you know we were going to call up Gogerty and ask them to do another survey. And I jumped right in and said I'll do the survey for you because I wanted to make money off of it. That's how it happened. But for Hank Hopkins to say that he didn't know about these questions just isn't true.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

HUJAR: And secondly I made it very clear to Hank Hopkins and I made it very clear to Don Wasson that they were not to share the information. That if it was then they would have to start, then they would have to declare part of this survey as an in-kind contribution. I had a very specific question with them about that.

STUTZMAN: Do you know whether any of the results were shared with candidates?

HUJAR: They were never shared by me. And I think it would be, yeah I'm almost certain that they were not shared by Hank Hopkins to the four candidates. Because I don't think that Hank even met with any of these candidates until after the election. If he did he did it without my knowledge. I don't think there is one time, I'm certain of that. Hank never met with any of the candidates prior to the election. The only person that he and I really dealt with or that he dealt with was Don Wasson.

PARKER: When we had talked before you had told me that Don Wasson was, when you had met with Don Wasson that he wanted his candidates to win the race and you had asked him after you had

met with the candidates who could put money into the race and he told you Hank Hopkins?

HUJAR: Correct. Well he told me the Westcot Company. He didn't tell me, I don't think he told me Hank Hopkins. He said the Westcot, there was the one company and he had told me at the time he said, I asked him how he felt about the beltline project and he said you know I have always supported the beltline project, I don't want the third runway to be built but if it is going to be built I want the City of Des Moines to have some type of compensation and I am completely in support of this project and I think Hank will help will help me out. Well I think that the Westcot Company will help us out.

PARKER: Okay. When we met before you had told me that the services that you provided were giving Don Wasson verbal advice and strategy, meeting with the candidates, giving copies of brochures. Well I'm thinking that you've actually pretty much answered that.

HUJAR: You know I think what you are referring to is the first questions that were asked of me and I was talking specifically about the first discussion Hank Hopkins that Don Wasson had with me when he was trying to get me to do the work. And at that time I had told him that for \$2,000 the only amount of services that I could provide was telephone consultation and maybe meeting with the candidates. But that for, that was as far as it went for \$2,000. It was only after I met, that he set up this meeting with Hank Hopkins that my role expanded. And then I did there were other services that we provided. But I think if you go back to the question that you may be referring to you asked me first about the conversation that I had with Don Wasson when he tried to retain me.

PARKER: Okay. I'm just going over this because you've answered a lot of it.

STUTZMAN: Was your meeting with Hank set up and arranged by you or did Don Wasson have anything to do with setting that up?

HUJAR: No, I mean I didn't even know, I wouldn't even know how to get a hold of Hank Hopkins. Don told me when I first, when we first had this conversation he said well there is this one company, the Westcot Company, that I think would contribute. And I'll call them up and I'll see. And he called them up. I may have done the second call to go meet with them. I don't know who set up the meeting but Don was one who clearly made the first call. I wouldn't have called them.

STUTZMAN: Okay so you met with him and then it was decided to do the survey?

HUJAR: That's right.

STUTZMAN: Following the initial meeting is that correct?

HUJAR: Well actually the decision was not made at that point in time because Hank said he needed to meet with his investors and he had to get the clearance for this investors group to come up with the money for the project. He needed to know how much money it was going to cost and there were, it was not here it is. He did call me back and I think we may have had one or two conversations past that to talk specifically about the survey. But the first discussion about doing this market survey was at the first meeting but no firm decisions were made.

STUTZMAN: And then after the survey did you then contact him and ask for additional money or how did that?

HUJAR: You know I normally don't do the fund raising. That isn't my job. I spend it. I don't raise it. But in this instance Hank, I think, had a lot more confidence in my ability to win the campaign than he did Don. And again the survey results did they not give you the results of the survey?

PARKER: No.

HUJAR: Well I can tell you the survey results basically showed that in every case 60% of the voters were undecided and this was with a pretty restricted, but 60% of the voters were undecided. And that Dan Sherman was ahead of Richard Benjamin by maybe 5 or 6%. Gary Peterson was ahead of Dave Caplin by 5-10%, by 5 or 6%, which surprised me. Maggie Steenrod was way head of Terry Brazil and that surprised me. And then the largest undecided was with Mike Foote and Susan White race. But I believe that Susan White was ahead at the time. I'm not sure what was your question before I went on a tangent?

STUTZMAN: How you asked for more money after the survey.

HUJAR: Well okay I know why I was getting, why I said what I did. The polling clearly did not show that there was a clear winner or loser. I mean that's the one lesson of that survey was that anybody could have won the race. There was so many undecided people that it could have gone either way in all of the races except for Maggie Steenrod. It was very clear from the survey that she had a lot of legs and she was going to win. Whether or not we helped her or not she was going to win the race. But the other campaigns clearly were winnable races.

STUTZMAN: And then did you contact Hank and ask for additional money at that point?

HUJAR: I know that, I believe that the first phone call for money was clearly with Don Wasson that I told Don that wasn't my position. I didn't want to be put in that position and that Don had to make the initial phone call. I don't, I honestly do not remember if I called up Hank for additional money or not. I may have but I just don't remember. I don't remember if Don made all of the calls. I actually did talk to Hank because there was only like 25 days left and time was of the essence. And he needed to move, if the money was going to come he needed to move it very quickly.

STUTZMAN: Okay. And then he did provide additional money it shows. The documents we have show that. What is your sense of whose campaign this was? Was this Don Wasson's campaign on behalf of the candidates?

HUJAR: There was no question in either my mind or I think Hank's mind that it was Don's show. That Don was, Don told us that you know I think I told you he said that he had always been on the losing end of 6 to 1 votes and that he wanted to leave the City of Des Moines in good hands and he wanted to be Mayor. And that he had recruited these four candidates, at least three of the, he had recruited three of the candidates and that if they won the campaign he was going to become Mayor of Des Moines and that was his lifelong dream. There was just, you know I think you have to look at how often I was in contact with these individuals. I mean I hardly talked to any of them and I think I spoke with Don maybe every other...

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HUJAR: ...he recruited Richard Benjamin. No I take that back. He recruited Gary Peterson. He has a very funny story about how he recruited both Gary Peterson and Maggie Steenrod. They were very reluctant candidates and did not file until the very last day. And I believe he recruited Mike Foote. I'm not sure if he recruited Richard Benjamin. I think Richard was, there were two candidates in the race that both were going to be supporting Don and Don did not get involved in the primary and was surprised that Richard had won the primary.

STUTZMAN: Did you ever have any discussions with Don in these many conversations about any reporting issues with the PDC?

HUJAR: All the time. And you know there was from the very outset between with Hank Hopkins and with Don I had told them that they had to make a decision on whether this was going to be an independent campaign committee, which we could have done very easily. Or whether this was going to be campaign contributions directly to the candidates and they made that decision very clear.

STUTZMAN: And what was their decision?

HUJAR: Their decision was that this was going to be campaign contributions from Westcot Company, that the money was going to, how the money was spent was going to be jointly between Don Wasson and myself, on how the money was going to be spent. And that Don was going to be the one because he was the campaign manager in essence for Richard and Gary and I thought initially with Maggie until I met with her, that he was going to be the one that was going to take care of the PDC stuff. And I don't know who actually did the public disclosure documents. I always assumed

and he led me to believe at least for Gary Peterson that he was doing the public disclosure things.

STUTZMAN: Okay so was it your understanding that Don was forming his own independent organization or that he was doing this on behalf of the candidates?

HUJAR: Well no. Well my, I always thought that Don was spending was we made the decision, I would tell him how much money should be attributed to each candidate and I thought that he was filling out the public disclosure documents and was filing it.

STUTZMAN: Do you mean reporting to the candidates that they had received in-kind contributions or do you mean that he was filling out his own?

HUJAR: No, I thought that he was filing. He led me to believe and maybe not directly but indirectly I actually thought that Don was drafting and creating the public disclosure documents at least for Gary Peterson. I mean just some of the comments that he had made to me about about how he had to, he asked me questions about he had to fill out the C3's or something. I would be very surprised if he did not actually, was the person who wrote the PDC documents for Gary Peterson. I was lead to believe that and I remember specifically in one instance that he had told me that Richard did not get one of his documents in time and that he needed to help him do it. He needed to meet with him and do some public disclosure documents. And at the very outset I thought that he was also doing it for Maggie Steenrod but then she made it very clear to me that nobody was doing anything other than herself.

STUTZMAN: Did he ever indicate that he might need to file on his own? As a separate committee?

PARKER: I see.

HUJAR: I think that's how it worked.

PARKER: Do you feel that that was an accurate amount of contributions that they received?

HUJAR: When we first walked in for the amount of work that I was going to do it was an accurate reflection because of the amount of work that I thought was going to happen. And yeah I think that was accurate. Again after the first meeting and when the Westcot Company decided that they were going to get into it then obviously it wasn't because they did receive a significant amount of services afterwards.

PARKER: And Don Wasson was aware of that?

HUJAR: Absolutely.

PARKER: Okay. Hank Hopkins talked about, with the additional \$20,000 that he gave you, that he believed that it was going to go he said mostly for signs, telephone banks, whatever they do in political campaigns. What was, what were the discussions initially? Did you sent the amount of money that you would need?

HUJAR: Actually when I met with Hank and Don that is what Don said he wanted money for. He wanted money for signs, he wanted money for posters and for newspaper advertisements and stuff like that.

PARKER: So Don told you this or this was a meeting with you, Don and Hank Hopkins?

HUJAR: Yeah, the three of us were in a meeting. And Don, I had Don tell him that we needed \$20,000. And Hank had asked how this money was going to be spent and Don came up and he said and I had said well I don't know if that's how the money should be spent

or not. We first have to look, I first have to meet with these candidates and talk to them and see what their strengths and their weaknesses are. What each candidate already is doing in their own campaign.

PARKER: So this was after the survey but before you had met with the candidates?

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: And you know, the \$750 PDC contribution that they put was before I met with them and before I knew that there was going to be more money that was going to be put into it.

PARKER: Okay so when Don Wasson told Hopkins this \$20,000 was needed and what it was for were you in agreement with that?

HUJAR: No. I told him that I didn't think that yard signs won campaigns. That before we made a decision on how the money was spent that I had to meet with the candidates because they may already have their yard signs. I mean I didn't know. And I didn't know what the other, what their opposition was doing or what the ACC was doing. You know really from that point on I don't really know how often, God I can't remember how often I talked to Hank during that campaign period but nearly all of my discussions about this was directly with Don Wasson.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: And I don't think it would be an understatement to say that in the 30 days, approximately 30 days that I was involved in the campaign that I spoke with him at least 20 times. I mean that would be a minimum figure.

STUTZMAN: On the summary of information that you brought today, under item 4, detailed survey or detailed summary you break our \$19,800 is that the \$20,000?

HUJAR: I believe that's the \$20,000. But again I'm reserving, I'm going to give you a detailed summary with all of the checks and all of my bank statements but in looking at my ledger I can only find \$19,800 is where I am now. But there may be other expenditures that I am not sure of at this stage of the game.

STUTZMAN: Can you also provide information on how that benefit, the \$20,000 would be attributed to the different candidates?

HUJAR: I don't know if I can do that.

STUTZMAN: Do you know if it was equal?

HUJAR: No, it wasn't. We did persuasion phone calls, for instance in terms of the \$5,000 persuasion phone calls...

STUTZMAN: Yes.

HUJAR: The game plan was to spend money for Richard Benjamin and then for Gary Peterson. And then Don called me up and said we need to help Maggie out she's in trouble. So we put some money in there.

PARKER: Okay. Why did they decide she was in trouble if clearly she was ahead in the survey?

HUJAR: Because the ACC had sent out a citywide mailing attacking her.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: About something or other and they all panicked. So I then put money into a phone bank for Maggie. And then in the last four days of the campaign I knew that both Gary and Maggie had won. And I then put, but I knew that Richard was the swing. I knew that

he was going to be the tough one so I put additional phone money into Richard Benjamin. You're, I know what you're thinking and that is is that I had a set budget and that we went and we spent it. It was a race where it was just a very fluid situation and that I made decisions on the money based upon what I saw was going on there. And as you can see the flow of it was initially we were going to do two candidates then we did three candidates and then I did one additional phone bank operation for Richard Benjamin at the very end. None of that was ever planned. It was just my feel of the situation and the determination that Richard needed more help than any of the other candidates.

STUTZMAN: When you said two candidates and then three, would the third one then be Maggie?

HUJAR: Yes.

STUTZMAN: So Mike Foote you did not...

HUJAR: We did nothing for Mike Foote. Don Wasson had told me, had called me up and said that there was this KIRO thing about Mike Foote that Mike had no chance at all in the campaign and asked me to make a contribution to him.

PARKER: Okay. So that, McGuire told me that you had asked to be billed separately for Richard Benjamin, so that's why at the end they have it separate on the invoices from McGuire Research.

HUJAR: Oh, so it was \$6,000. Okay. No actually what happened as I told you is that I called him up, you can see the dates of the invoices are different. I called him up and I said that I needed at least \$1,000 worth of phone calls for Richard. And that was above and beyond what we had originally planned because I knew that the

other two candidates had won. I knew that Richard was going to be close and that's why we put more money into it.

PARKER: I see.

HUJAR: But you know I don't think that these, oh I don't know whether that's right. So he has me down as \$10,000. Okay I better, I'm glad I did this then. I'm going to have to look at the, that's okay.

STUTZMAN: Is the market research survey numbers that you gave us, \$29,000.

HUJAR: Right.

STUTZMAN: Would that be the entire cost of the survey that was the initial survey?

HUJAR: It was the entire cost of the survey. I ordered a computer demographic analysis of the City of Des Moines broken out by demographic categories. I matched that with the Gogerty survey.

PARKER: Is that part of what Mike Snyder did?

HUJAR: No, I don't think Mike helped me on that. I haven't talked with him. Mike Snyder basically was involved in the writing and the poll watching.

PARKER: Hank Hopkins told me that your payments, the payments that they made to you that you asked that they be made in cashier's checks?

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: Why was that?

HUJAR: I think I addressed that in the earlier testimony but he had given me that first check for \$10,000 that he had given to me, the Bank of America would not put a 5 day hold on it and I was stunned. They had, it wasn't, they had told me that for any major check from that point on that they were putting a 5-day hold holds on them. And in fact that even if I gave them a certified check from another bank

they were going to put a three-day hold on it. And it was this new policy that all of the banks in the United States were doing and they explained to me that the reason for that was because certified checks were being stolen and they had to confirm. I always thought certified checks, cashier's check is a cashier's check. So it was a time problem. I told him that in order for this to work either he had to give me all of the money up front or if it was a cash flow problem on his part I needed a cashier's check from Bank America. Or else it just, I was not going to float I've been in this too long I was not going to float this campaign the amount of money.

PARKER: The, one of the checks says it's from Environmental Material Transport. The others say anonymous. Is there a reason for that?

HUJAR: I never even looked at them. I have no idea why he did what he did.

PARKER: You didn't ask him to put anonymous?

HUJAR: Oh no. The reason I did the, the only thing I know is on the cashier's checks and you're welcome to call the Bank of America I think it's a crazy policy is because of the problem I had. I couldn't afford to do a five-day hold on this in order to get the work done in a short time period. I didn't care if it came from Westcot Company or from, you said EMT or whoever it was. It didn't have any influence over me.

PARKER: Okay. Do you have any idea why he might have not put who they were from and asked that anonymous be typed in?

HUJAR: You know until you mentioned it I didn't even know. I mean I didn't know that it was listed that way.

PARKER: For your business how many bank accounts do you, is your bank account under Olympic Institute, FDR Services?

HUJAR: Like I told you, I have two bank accounts FDR Services and then my personal account. I closed the Olympic Institute down I think two years ago I went through a divorce and it necessitated that I close down the Olympic Institute and in fact FDR Services used to be a corporation and when I went through my divorce I also had to close that company and that account down and I started FDR Services as a sole proprietorship.

STUTZMAN: So Blair Butterworth is totally, he's on his own and you're not partners anymore?

HUJAR: I haven't spoken to Blair in well over a year. He testified on behalf of my wife and I have very little to do with him.

PARKER: So all income and then any expenses that you pay for the business go through FDR Services?

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: Not through your personal account?

HUJAR: No I don't believe so but I am going to check that to make sure that if in fact and if you want I'll give you copies for the three months of my personal account, I'll give you the ledger so you can look at that I don't have a problem with that.

PARKER: Let me clarify. So Mike Snyder did some writing for brochures?

HUJAR: Yes. When the money, when I received the money for the campaign assistance Don had told me that he felt that the, when I met with these candidates I gave them copies of brochures and mailing pieces that I said I think you guys need to stop doing this stuff that you're doing and do this type of mailing. And they were all pretty overwhelmed by that and so I called up Mike Snyder and I said are you available to help these candidates out. And on the

second meeting that I had with Richard Benjamin I brought, with Richard Benjamin and with and the first meeting that I had with Mike Foote I brought Mike Snyder. I don't believe that Mike ever met with Gary Peterson because he was gone. And I don't think that he ever met with Maggie Steenrod.

PARKER: Okay but he did meet with Mike Foote and with Richard Benjamin?

HUJAR: I'm almost certain he did but, and I can give you his phone number if you like. It's 784-2985.

PARKER: Were Benjamin and Foote aware that Mike Snyder had prepared some brochures or given them some consultation? Had done some writing?

HUJAR: I told them that, the first meeting I talked to them I talked about the races. I brought a packet of material for them to look at in terms of how to, different types of mailing pieces that they should consider doing. When Don called me back up, in fact let me clarify, Don set up these meetings with all four of the candidates. I didn't set them up, Don set them up. I met with these candidates I gave them the brochures, then afterwards when I knew that we were having money I called up Snyder, brought him in and I said Richard Benjamin is going to be the one that's going to be the hardest one and we need to make sure that his stuff is very professional. I told him that Gary Peterson was off on vacation and was not accessible and that he was to work with Don Wasson in doing the voter pamphlet statement and I believe print advertisement. Or whatever Don wanted. I'm almost certain he never met with Maggie Steenrod because she didn't want to have anything to do with it. And as I told you Don had told me that Mike had no money at all.

That we should not put any effort into Mike's campaign because he couldn't win after the KIRO TV expose.

PARKER: Okay. So what did Mike Snyder say to the candidates when he met?

HUJAR: He offered to do a write, oh he did an interview with them. Mike Snyder has he was my employee for FDR Services for 6-8 years and he's gone to Europe with me and he's done a variety of work for me and he is probably one of the best political writers in the state. And he sat down, interviewed them, talked looked at some of the stuff they had done in the primary and then had offered to start drafting brochures for them or whatever work Don wanted for them.

PARKER: Okay and did that happen? Did he draft brochures for them?

HUJAR: Yes he did. Now I'm not sure to what extent but I know that at least with Gary Peterson the relationship was Mike Snyder and Don Wasson for Gary. Although Mike talked to me about it a couple times I really wasn't involved in the loop with Gary.

PARKER: Okay but Richard Benjamin and Mike Foote should have known there was a contribution there? Their work with Mike Snyder.

HUJAR: Well remember, Mike did no work for Mike Foote.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: Because and I remember we met with Mike Foote because we walked out and Mike some disparaging remarks about Mike Foote and Mike was happy he didn't have to do any work for him. But I know that he met with Richard Benjamin, talked to him and he did quite a bit of again, the bulk of the resources for this, for the

Westcot contributions went into Richard Benjamin's campaign because he was the only one that was, that I thought could lose.

PARKER: Okay. How much would you say that was?

HUJAR: Out of the \$19,000? God I think you know probably \$13,000 went to him.

PARKER: Okay and the documents, checks that you're going to provide us will they show that? Will we be able to figure that out from what you're providing?

HUJAR: What, I don't have the invoices that I gave to Don. I guess if you want I can subjectively look back and come up with how I think the money was distributed.

PARKER: Sure.

HUJAR: I can do that but I may not match the invoices that I gave to Don because it's in hindsight rather than foresight.

PARKER: Would we be able to get copies of those invoices perhaps from the original source?

HUJAR: I gave them to Don. You're talking, no I'm talking about invoices that I created so that Don could report it to the Public Disclosure Commission.

PARKER: Okay. Did you create those on your computer?

HUJAR: I created on my laptop computer yes.

PARKER: And so would those be available?

HUJAR: That was my laptop computer, everything that I owned on this trip that I was in Zagreb Croatia was stolen.

PARKER: Not just the calendar?

HUJAR: My calendar, my laptop computer was stolen when I was in Croatia.

PARKER: Okay.

STUTZMAN: I think whatever you can do to recreate, even if it's subjectively how you think the \$20,000 was valued for various candidates would be helpful.

HUJAR: Yeah. I just need to get the checks. See I wasn't aware of the McGuire Research stuff. I need to look at that.

PARKER: Are you sure you don't want that?

HUJAR: Yeah, I probably should because that doesn't, I'm going to read it. I may have to amend part of my testimony because I don't remember why I invoiced, why I received the for \$5,000 from them on 10/26.

PARKER: And then copies of the checks for FDR Services match those.

HUJAR: Right. But again, you know if you talk to Mike McGuire I never received these. I mean they never sent, I never saw any of these at all and he never would send them to me. In all the years that I've worked for him he's never sent me invoices.

STUTZMAN: It sounds like he makes them for his records and he just calls you and tells you the amounts.

HUJAR: But is there is a question about this you need to call him up because he would verify that he never sends me invoices.

PARKER: Did you ever have any discussions regarding concealing with Don Wasson?

HUJAR: No.

PARKER: Did you ever have any discussions about concealing with Hank Hopkins?

HUJAR: No. I had, you know at the very outset as I said we had a discussion about how this was going to be reported I had a very clear conversation with both of them about the route that they could

take, the pluses and the minuses in terms of doing an independent campaign committee which I know how to do from past experiences. And direct contributions.

STUTZMAN: And did, and what did they tell you clearly what they intended to do?

HUJAR: I don't think, Hank said that he didn't want to do an independent campaign committee because of the publicity that it would give to the Westcot Company. He wanted nothing to do with it. Don, I mean that was basically the end of the conversation. Don said well I have no problem with the candidates reporting the money.

STUTZMAN: Why do you think Don would only have them report \$500 or \$750 instead of portions of \$20,000?

HUJAR: I have no idea why and that surprises me that he did that. Especially given the fact that he had conversations with me about problems that he was having with the PDC in terms of, I remember specifically Richard Benjamin's PDC report.

STUTZMAN: In your opinion, would any of the \$29,000 be attributable to campaigns?

HUJAR: Only if Hank Hopkins talked to Don Wasson. But as I told you I made it very clear to them in the discussions that if they were going to be using any of this money or if they were going to be using any of this information for the poll then it had to be disclosed, for the campaign then it had to be disclosed and that I was willing to attribute it. I didn't have any problems either way if that's what they wanted to do. But I said that if they kept it to themselves then they didn't have to report it. Especially given the information of what it gave. It showed in every case that over 60% of the voters in the city, the likely voters in the City of Des Moines were undecided.

STUTZMAN: Okay. Why don't we go off the record and take maybe a five-minute break.

PARKER: Okay it's 11:28 and we're going to take a short five-minute break off the record. Okay we're back on the record at 11:45. When you gave the presentation to the investment group of Hank Hopkins, after the survey was Don Wasson there?

HUJAR: No.

PARKER: Did he get a copy of the presentation?

HUJAR: No.

PARKER: Did you discuss it with him? The results of the survey?

HUJAR: I would say that I did not. I may have told him that the results looked good but that would be the extent of what I said to him. I may have even have said that there was a high undecided but I don't remember doing or saying that.

PARKER: Okay. And so the initial \$29,000 was for the survey and the poll for Westcot Company is that correct?

HUJAR: That's right.

PARKER: Was Hank Hopkins aware that Westcot funds would be spent in support of candidates?

HUJAR: Absolutely.

PARKER: The 20,000. Okay. How did you separate the work that was done for Don Wasson and the work for Hank Hopkins?

HUJAR: Outside of the political survey they were one in the same as far as I was concerned. Don and Hank knew each other. They acted as if they had been friends for over 8-10 years. And I say that because I remember they had some personal conversations about wives and things like that. So when we had, after the survey was done and

the Westcot Company decided that they were going to be involved in the campaign Hank wanted my assurances that the money, he said how much money will it take to win these races for Don. And I told him that if I had \$20,000 it would be like, I used the expression it would be like ducks shooting ducks in a pond. That's what I said. And I had, there was no question in my mind that we could win the races. Both Hank Hopkins and Don Wasson talked all the time. That was my impression.

PARKER: Did you have any other questions Phil?

STUTZMAN: No. Why don't you go over the documents though?

PARKER: Okay. Just to review the documents that you're going to provide. Copies of the checks, the FDR checks that related.

HUJAR: Yes, they're all ordered.

PARKER: Okay. A new breakout, could you do a new breakout?

HUJAR: Yes I will do a new breakout.

PARKER: Okay. Once you get your documents.

HUJAR: Correct.

PARKER: And then the analysis of...

HUJAR: How the money could be attributed.

PARKER: To the candidates. Then a copy of the check to Mike Foote.

HUJAR: Yes.

PARKER: Okay.

HUJAR: I have that. I found it in my account.

STUTZMAN: One other question, the survey goes from question 10 to 14 and there were three questions missing. Do you have any idea why or what those questions might be?

HUJAR: Well as you know when you're doing survey's it's an evolving process and we had gone, I know that I had gone through three or

four drafts of the survey and I may have even had Mike Snyder help me. I just don't remember that far back but we were moving questions in and out all of the time based upon what the Westcot Company wanted and what Hank Hopkins wanted. I know that there were, the three questions that are missing were questions that were specifically from the Gogerty poll and they were very long questions. That's why when I said to you when you gave it to me I said a page was missing because they were statements. There was a, the question was somewhat I'm going to read you two statements and I'd like you to tell me which of the two statements you more strongly agree with and then we'd read them a set of like three or four statements and so they were very long questions. In fact it was at least a page longer than what you're seeing in front of you.

STUTZMAN: Is it fair to say that those questions were not related to specific candidates?

HUJAR: They were not at all involved with specific candidates. The only questions dealing with the candidates are the ones that you see there.

STUTZMAN: Okay.

PARKER: Do you have anything else?

STUTZMAN: No.

PARKER: Anything you would like to add?

HUJAR: Well it seems to me that the issue is that you're looking at is apparently a conflict between how this money should have been reported. And I'm surprised that Don Wasson did not report the contributions. I'll have you know that when I first received a phone

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Sally Parker

From: HujarTM@aol.com

Sent: Thursday, September 26, 2002 12:56 PM

To: Sally Parker

Subject: Re: Don Wasson payment

Dear Ms. Parker:

1. I just returned home from a trip to find a package regarding a hearing for the Bainbridge Parents for Better Parks. I was surprised to hear that there was going to be a Hearing since Mr. Stutzman assured me at the last meeting that we had in Tacoma that we would discuss this matter first. In any event, I will be unavailable on October 2, 2002. In terms of fairness, I ask that the hearing be delayed at least for a week so that I can secure an attorney to represent me at the hearing. For instance, trying to claim that I should have listed my own services as an in kind contribution clearly raises first amendment issues that I think the commission should think twice about.

2. I am absolutely positive that Mr. Wasson gave me two \$1,000 checks. One was for the initial retainer, the second was in November. I am not sure of the date but it is conceivable that the date you cited was the right one.

Hope that this clarifies the matter.

Tom Hujar

12/24/2002

EXHIBIT 7

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11/27/02

In the matter of Des Moines City Council Elections:

1. I am enclosing a copy of FDR Service's September 2001 bank Statement as requested.
2. I received two checks from Don Wasson. One check was received in October that I deposited with other checks. I believe that this check was a personal check from Mr. Wasson. The second check was given to me in November and it may have been from Mr. Wasson's business checking account.
3. In September, Mr. Wasson asked me whether I could help his slate of candidates win their races. I told him that in low level city council races the level of public awareness is very low. Typically, the undecided are in the 60 - 70 % range. I used the example of Congressman Mike Lowry's first reelection campaign where after one year in office he was still unknown by over 60 % of the voters. I also told him about Norm Rice's first mayor's race where the majority of voters who said that they knew him did not know that he was Black. To summarize, I never discussed the polling information that was conducted for the Wescott Company with any candidate/advisor or spouse of anyone associated with the Des Moines City Council campaigns.

Sincerely yours,


Tom Hujar

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(11/83)

DATE FILED PDC
DEC 10 2001

Candidate or Committee Name (Do not abbreviate. Use full name.)

GARY WAYNE PETERSEN

Report Date

12-10-01

1. IN KIND CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED (goods, services, discounts, etc.)

Date Received	Contributor's Name and Address	Description of Contribution	Fair Market Value	Aggregate Total	PRI	GEN	If \$100 or more, Employer Name, City, State & Occup.
11-1-01	Don Wasson 22247 Cliff Ave Des Moines WA 98198	Printing	300	300	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Techmarine SeaTac WA Occupation Machinist
11-1-01	Don Wasson 22247 Cliff Ave Des Moines WA 98198	Campaign consultant service	750	750	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Techmarine SeaTac WA Occupation Machinist
			TOTAL (Enter also on line 3 and line 12 of C4)				
			1050				
			1050				

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TOTAL (Enter also on line 3 and line 12 of C4)

2. PLEDGES RECEIVED BUT NOT YET PAID. List each pledge of \$100.00 or more.

Date Notified of Pledge	Name and Address of Pledge Maker	Fair Market Value	Aggregate Total	PRI	GEN	If \$100 or more, Employer Name, City, State & Occup.
				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
			TOTAL (Include new pledges above and all other outstanding pledges.) (Enter also on line 9 of C4)			
			\$			

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TOTAL (Include new pledges above and all other outstanding pledges.) (Enter also on line 9 of C4)

3. ORDERS PLACED, DEBTS, OBLIGATIONS. (Give estimate if actual amount not known. Exclude loans. Report loans on Schedule L.)

Expenditure Date	Vendor's/Recipient's Name and Address	Amount Owed	Code OR	Description of Obligation
		\$		
		\$		
		\$		
		\$		
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		\$		
		TOTAL (Include in line 19 of C4)		
		\$		

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TOTAL (Include in line 19 of C4)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Gas / Electric | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical / Dental |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes | <input type="checkbox"/> Dependent Care |
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DO NOT USE
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TAX DEDUCTIBLE ITEM ☐

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10/28/01

BAL
FOR'D

THIS
PAYMENT

418.88

BALANCE

OTHER

BAL
FOR'D

- ...Here's How:
- Carry balance forward
 - Check type of expense
 - Add details on memo line
 - Retain duplicates in Deluxe Check box

Memo

CAMPAIGN MAIL

NOT NEGOTIABLE ✓

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OF TUKWILA**
505 INDUSTRY DR., TUKWILA, WA 98188
19-798-1250

4895

PAY ****ONE THOUSAND AND NO/100***DOLLARS

10-26-2001 \$1000.00

DATE AMOUNT

TO THE
ORDER
OF:

DON WASSON

Donald F. Fereen

Security Features Included: Details on back

THIS CHECK WAS DEPOSITED
TO MY PERSONAL ACCOUNT ON 10/26/01

Donald F. Fereen
Deposit only

WRITE, STAMP OR SIGN BE
SERVED FOR FINANCIAL INSTITUTION

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PACIFIC NW Bank >>

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FAX: (425) 401-9969

SEAFIRST BANK
REDMOND, WA 98052
19-2/1250

5196

9-17-01

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Don Wasson \$ 1,000.00
One Thousand and no/100 DOLLARS

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TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED

MEMO
Don Wasson

Henry Hopfner
Don Wasson

Don Wasson

0936 81431

Washington Mutual Bank
1126 First Avenue
Tacoma, WA 98401

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WHETHER PAID OR RETURNED, IS 422.00.

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DONALD F WASSON
22047 CLIFF AVE S
DES MOINES WA 98128-4704

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STATEMENT PERIOD:
FROM 09-27-01
THRU 10-24-01

HOME SMART HOME.
OUR LOANS COME FROM GREAT HOMES. IT'S YOURS WITH A HOME EQUITY LOAN.
ASK US ABOUT OUR FAST AND EASY HOME EQUITY LOAN.

MONEY MARKET DEPOSIT ACCT

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK

FDIC INSURED

DONALD F WASSON

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

OVERDRAFT LIMIT
SUBJECT TO A PER ITEM OVERDRAFT TRANSACTION CHARGE

BEGINNING BALANCE	TOTAL WITHDRAWALS	TOTAL DEPOSITS	ENDING BALANCE
	.00		

INTEREST PAID:

ANNUAL PERCENTAGE YIELD EARNED :

YTD INTEREST PAID :

YTD INTEREST WITHHELD: .00

DATE	WITHDRAWALS	DEPOSITS	TRANSACTION DESCRIPTION
09/27		3,055.24	CUSTOMER DEPOSIT

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PARKER: For the record and voice identification, please say your full name and spell your last.

WASSON: Donald F. Wasson W-A-S-S-O-N.

PARKER: Okay. And can I assume that your address and telephone number are the same as during our last interview.

WASSON: No. My, I'm at my home and it's 22047 Cliff Avenue South, Des Moines, Washington and my phone number is 206-878-1022.

PARKER: Okay. Thank you. Okay when I had talked to you a week or so ago Mr. Wasson and you told me on the phone at that time that you, the check from Hank Hopkins, the \$1,000 check from Hank Hopkins or Environmental Materials Transport, LLC., that was written to you for \$1,000 last year did appear to be legitimate. Can you tell me about that?

WASSON: Yes. I had no recollection of receiving the check and that's why in our previous meeting I was so adamant about the fact that I had never received it. I didn't remember it and I didn't believe that it had happened and I made some strong arguments that it never happened but, back then but I now have to acknowledge that it did happen and that the signature on the check looks like my signature. And I checked with the bank that I deal with and it was deposited in the same account that they make, that the branch I deal with has their deposits recorded in. So.

PARKER: So it was deposited in which bank?

WASSON: Washington Mutual.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: And it went into a Tacoma branch however I deposited it in Des Moines branch.

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Don Wasson
January 2, 2003
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PARKER: I see.

WASSON: That's where my money market account is.

PARKER: Okay. And do you have the date that that was deposited?

WASSON: 9-17, well I'm not sure on the date that I deposited but I know that it was within two or three days of 9-17.

PARKER: Okay. Your Washington Mutual bank records show a deposit on September 27th in the amount of \$3,055.24. Do you know if it was included in that deposit?

WASSON: I'm sure it would have had to have been.

PARKER: Okay. And did you get copies of that deposit?

WASSON: No, I haven't.

PARKER: Okay. Did you get additional bank records? That's what I understood that you were doing and we were missing some.

WASSON: Yes, I've got the records that you asked for in your letter of the 23rd, September 23rd.

PARKER: Okay. So you have some additional ones that we didn't receive?

WASSON: Yes.

PARKER: Okay. And when will you be sending those?

WASSON: Today.

PARKER: Okay. So the \$1,000 Hank Hopkins did pay you you deposited in your Washington Mutual bank account and what was the purpose of that payment to you?

WASSON: I have a, I can't say for sure what that was. I don't have a clear recollection of even having received the check but now I know I did. So.

PARKER: And so what you're saying is you don't recall what you received the money for?

WASSON: That's correct.

WASSON: I, the only way that I could answer that question is to say I could not deny it because I don't have a clear recollection of the event but my check to, the account that I deposited the check into is a money market account that I have my social security and city pay direct deposited in. And from time to time I withdrawn money from that account and place it into my checking account at Pacific Northwest bank and that's where I, that's the account that I wrote the check to Mr. Hujar.

PARKER: Okay. And we've had this, well okay. Who do you think should have been responsible for reporting that \$1,000 to the PDC? You or Mr. Hopkins or Mr. Hujar?

MISSALL: Sally, I don't want to get overly technical, this is Scott Missall for the record and Don you can answer the question if you know the answer but to the extent that your asking Don for a legal conclusion about what the reporting regulations require he may or may not know that.

PARKER: Okay. I would like him to answer because Mr. Wasson has been...

WASSON: I believe I would be responsible for it.

PARKER: Okay. And did you report that \$1,000 contribution?

WASSON: No.

PARKER: And why would that be?

WASSON: I guess it didn't occur to me. I guess is the only way I could answer that.

PARKER: Was there any discussion with Mr. Hopkins or Mr. Hujar or the candidates or anyone actually about how it might appear with Environmental Materials or Westcot or Hank Hopkins making a contribution to the campaigns?

WASSON: I don't remember any conversation to that effect but I'm sure I probably thought about it.

PARKER: And why might that have been a problem if that had been reported?

WASSON: Well Hank Hopkins had been lobbying the city council for several years about his project and that could conceivably have an adverse impact on the results of the campaign.

PARKER: Okay. Okay. The bank records that you sent us, I'm hoping that the ones that you're planning on sending today will clarify but I want to ask on the Pacific Northwest bank account, the joint account that you have with I assume this is your wife, Mary Jane Wasson?

WASSON: Right.

PARKER: There were 2 \$1,000 checks, or there was a \$1,000 check written, it cleared your account on October 1st it was check number 291 for \$1,000 were you able to get the records of who that check was to?

WASSON: Yes and that was, both of those checks are in the mail to you.

PARKER: Okay.

WASSON: I can tell you what they show, I think I have copies of them here. The checks, check 29, oh I guess I made a mistake here I don't have a check number 291. Okay, I'm, I have a check 4895 from my company to myself and it shows...

PARKER: Okay I think you sent a copy of that to us, 4895 right, I already have a copy of that.

WASSON: And I show that on check 300, that's my check to FDR...

PARKER: Right and I have a copy of that.

WASSON: Okay. And then I have a...

PDC Staff Chronology of events and payments regarding Des Moines City Council election

Chronology of Wasson, Hujar, Hopkins re: City Council race

Date	Week of	Description	Amount
	9/17-9/23	Wasson meets with Hopkins	
9/17/2001		EMT payment to Wasson	\$1,000
	9/24-9/30	Hujar meets with Hopkins	
10/4/2001		Hopkins payment to Hujar	\$10,000
10/7/2001		McGuire survey conducted	
10/10/2001		Hujar payment to McGuire	\$4,000
10/12/2001		Hopkins payment to Hujar	\$19,000
	10/15-10/21	Hopkins-\$20,000 funds	
	10/15-10/21	Hujar meets with Foote, Benjamin, Steenrod	
	10/15-10/21	Hujar hires Snyder	
	10/15-10/21	Snyder meets with Benjamin, Foote	
10/23/2001		Hujar payment to McGuire	\$5,000
10/24/2001		RCAA newsletter calls Steenrod pro-runway	
10/25/2001		Hopkins payment to Hujar	\$10,000
10/25/2001		Wasson payment to Hujar	\$1,000
10/28/2001		Steenrod advocacy calls by McGuire	
10/29/2001		Petersen advocacy calls by McGuire	
10/31/2001		Hujar payment to McGuire	\$1,000
11/1/2001		Hujar payment to Snyder for work with candidates	\$2,750
11/2/2001		Benjamin advocacy calls by McGuire	
11/6/2001		General election requiring recount for Benjamin	
11/29/2001		Hopkins payment to Hujar	\$1,800
12/10/2001		Hopkins payment to Hujar	\$8,200
12/11/2001		Hujar payment to Snyder for recount observation	\$1,000

Payments from Hank Hopkins to FDR

Hopkins		From	To
\$10,000.00	10/4/01 #05001474	*****	FDR
\$9,500.00	10/12/01 #12271929	Annon	FDR
\$9,500.00	10/12/01 #12271929	Annon	FDR
\$6,000.00	10/25/01 #12271937	NA	FDR
\$4,000.00	10/25/01 #12271969	NA	FDR
\$1,800.00	11/29/01 #12271955	Anon	FDR
\$8,200.00	12/10/01 #5198	EMT	FDR
\$49,000.00			
Allocation of \$49,000 payments from Hank Hopkins to FDR			
\$10,000	10/4/01	\$6,000	10/25/2001
\$9,500	10/12/01	\$4,000	10/25/2001
\$9,500	10/12/01	\$1,800	11/29/2001
\$29,000	Survey costs	\$8,200	12/10/2001
		\$20,000	Candidate costs

Hujar allocation \$20,000 to candidates

Foote	\$500
Petersen	\$3,500
Steenrod	\$1,000
Benjamin	\$14,800
	\$19,800

McGuire Invoices

Inv date		occurred	Inv. Amt
37172	Surveys	10/7/01	\$4,000
37190	GOTV calls		\$5,000
	Steenrod adv	10/28/01	
	Petersen adv	10/29/01	
37199	Benjamin	11/2/01	\$1,000
			\$10,000

Payments by FDR

Inv. Amt	Date pd	Pd ck #	Amt pd
\$4,000	10/10/01	5212	\$4,000
\$5,000	10/23/01	5223	\$5,000
\$1,000	10/31/01	5228	\$1,000
\$10,000			\$10,000

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November 25, 2002

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Olympia, Washington 98504-0908

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Public Disclosure Commission

Re: *PDC Case No. 02-296*

Dear Ms. Parker:

I am writing in response to your letter of November 15, 2002. In accord with our conversation of November 21, 2002, I wish to confirm that our forwarding this information to you in no way constitutes a waiver of any privilege Mr. Hopkins enjoys with our office.

As an initial matter, you request the original check (number 5196) from Environmental Materials Transport, LLC ("EMT") to Don Wasson. I am enclosing a copy of the front and back of the check. The original of the check is in our office and we will make it available for you to review at our offices if you wish to examine it.

You requested information on who purchased the cashier's checks paid to Tom Hujar. Mr. Hopkins obtained the cashier's checks. Our understanding is that the reason EMT was not identified as the purchaser of the cashier's checks is because EMT was trying to keep a "low profile." We are unaware of any specific explanation for the discrepancy in dates that you identify in your letter (check number 0500147496 is dated October 4, 2001, while you state that Mr. Hujar's bank statement indicates the check was deposited on October 3, 2001). Finally, with respect to the handwritten notation "Poulsbo-Betsy," our understanding is that this was simply a reference to the person to whom the teller referred Mr. Hopkins in the event that he had any problems with the cashier's check. In other words, to our knowledge, the teller at Bank of America informed Mr. Hopkins that, in the event of any problems, he could speak to Betsy at Bank of America's Poulsbo branch.

In your letter, you raise the question of whether the two post-election checks of \$8,200 and \$1,800 concerned election-related work. You further state that it was your "understanding

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Des Moines Survey
October, 2001

INTERVIEWER _____ STA# _____ SUPV: _____
TOTAL TIME: _____ RESPONDENT (M/F) M _____ F _____

[INTERVIEWER: SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO YOU. THE INTERVIEWER WILL APPEAR IN BRACKETED BOLD TEXT, SUCH AS THIS INSTRUCTION. DO NOT READ TEXT WHICH APPEARS WITHIN THESE BRACKETS, UNLESS INSTRUCTED TO DO SO BY THE TE

Hello, this is _____ calling from MRS. We're conducting a poll about important issues in your area. May I please speak to _____? **[MUST SPEAK TO VOTER ON LIST]**

- Q1. Generally speaking, would you say that things in the community are going in the right direction, or have they pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?

Right Direction ----- 1
Wrong ----- 2
No opinion ----- 3

- Q2. And now, what would you say is the single most important problem facing your local community today, that is the one that you, yourself, are most concerned about? **[DO NOT READ]**

Crime -----01
Economic -----02
Education -----03
Environment -----04
Health Issues -----05
Local/State Government -----06
Taxes -----07
Transportation -----08
Other [SPECIFY: _____] ----09
Dk/Na/Refused -----10

- Q3. And, which one of the following issues do you feel should be the top priority of the elected leaders from your town..... **[READ LIST] [ROTATE]**

Improving the quality of education in the schools. ----- 1
Fighting crimes and drugs ----- 2
Improving traffic congestion ----- 3
Stopping construction of the third runway at Sea-Tac ----- 4
[DON'T READ] All of the above ----- 5
[DON'T READ] None of the above ----- 6
[DON'T READ] don't know. ----- 7

- Q4. Do you favor or oppose building a third runway at Sea-Tac? **[If Favor/Oppose, ask: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or only somewhat (favor/oppose)?]**

Strongly Favor ----- 1
Somewhat Favor ----- 2
Somewhat Oppose ----- 3
Strongly Oppose ----- 4
Don't know ----- 5

- Q5. Notwithstanding what your position is, how likely do you believe that the third runway will be built at Seatac Airport?

Very Likely ----- 1
somewhat likely ----- 2
Not to Likely ----- 3
Not Likely at all ----- 4
Total Not likely ----- 5
Don't know ----- 6

- Q6. Let's assume that the construction of the third runway is inevitable. Given the fact that over 12 to 15 million cubic yards of earth needs to be moved, which of the following two ways would you choose to move the material:

Bring the fill by trucks to the airport? ----- 1
Bring the fill by barge and load it into a conveyor belt
without using trucks? ----- 2
Don't know ----- 3

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Q7. There are a number of contested City council races on the ballot this year.

a. In position 1, will you be voting for ... ? [READ LIST]

Richard Benjamin or 1
Dan Sherman 2
Don't know 3

b. In position 3, will you be voting for ... ? [READ LIST]

Gary Peterson or 1
Dave Kaplan 2
Don't know 3

c. In Position 5, will you be voting for ... ? [READ LIST]

Maggie Steenrod or 1
Terry Brazil 2
Don't know 3

d. In position 7, will you be voting for? [READ LIST]

Mike Foote or 1
Susan White 2
Don't know 3

Were at the end of the survey. Now I have just a few questions for statistical purposes only.....

Q8. First, *WHAT IS YOUR AGE?*

18-24 1
25-34 2
35-44 3
45-54 4
55+ 5
Refused 6

Q9. How long have you lived in Des Moines?

Less than 2 years 1
Two to five years 2
Six to ten years 3
More than 11 years 4
Refused 5

Q10. And in politics, do you consider yourself

Republican 1
Democrat 2
or something else 3
Refused 4

Thank you for your time.

Q14. Gender [BY OBSERVATION]

Male 1
Female 2

Respondent Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Cluster: _____ Page: _____ Supervisor: _____ Verified by: _____

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8440 NE GORDON
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110

5229

DATE 11-01-01 19-2/1250 WA 85363

PAY TO THE ORDER OF MIKE SNYDER \$ 2,750.00

100 THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY + 00/100 DOLLARS

Bank of America
Commercial Acct. 086363

FOR Jim Hyatt "000002750000"

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8440 NE GORDON
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DATE 12-11-01 19-2/1250 WA 85363

PAY TO THE ORDER OF MIKE SNYDER \$ 1,000.00

One Thousand + 00/100 DOLLARS

Bank of America
Commercial Acct. 086363

FOR Jim Hyatt "000001000000"

ACCOUNT STATEMENT

DATE FILED PDC

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DEPOSITS	ENDING BALANCE .00
WITHDRAWALS	
SERVICE CHARGES/FEES	AVERAGE DAILY BAL .00
ENDING BALANCE	
MINIMUM BALANCE	
TOTAL NUMBER OF CHECKS	

FIRSTCHOICE BUSINESS CHECKING ACTIVITY				
POSTED	TRANSACTION DESCRIPTION/SERIAL NUMBER	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	REFERENCE
11-02	DEPOSIT		9,000.00	M
11-08	DEPOSIT		1,000.00	M
11-15	DEPOSIT		2,800.00	M
11-28	DEPOSIT		1,800.00	M
11-01	CHECK 5223	5,000.00		M
				M
11-08	CHECK 5228	1,000.00		M

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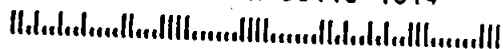
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12-01-2001 TO 12-31-20
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SUMMARY OF YOUR ACCOUNTS

CHECKING	SAVINGS
FIRSTCHOICE BUSINESS	FIRSTCHOICE BUSINESS
BEGINNING BALANCE	BEGINNING BALANCE .00
DEPOSITS	ENDING BALANCE .00
WITHDRAWALS	AVERAGE DAILY BAL .00
SERVICE CHARGES/FEES	
ENDING BALANCE	
MINIMUM BALANCE	
TOTAL NUMBER OF CHECKS	

FIRSTCHOICE BUSINESS CHECKING ACTIVITY

POSTED	TRANSACTION DESCRIPTION/SERIAL NUMBER	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	REFERENCE
12-04	DEPOSIT		10,000.00	REST 1000
12-11	DEPOSIT		8,200.00	M
12-04	CHECK	5240 5,000.00		M
12-21	CHECK	5241 1,000.00		M

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Sally Parker

From: Michael A Snyder [mikesnydersea@juno.com]
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2002 8:51 AM
To: Sally Parker
Subject: Re: PDC Info Request

Sally!

Sorry, you are right - Wasson wasn't a candidate - please remember, from my perspective this is all ancient history - right now I'm focused on THIS year's election!

Allocation of work (not counting recount) was approximately 75% Benjamin, 25% Petersen. I never met with Petersen directly, though I spoke with him a few times over the phone. I met several times with Benjamin.

Hope this is helpful.

Mike

On Mon, 16 Sep 2002 13:39:13 -0700 "Sally Parker" <sparker@pdc.wa.gov> writes:

> Hi Mike,
> I have another question for you. You mentioned that part of your
> payment was for precinct targeting and copy writing on behalf of
> Benjamin, Petersen and Wasson. Did you mean that this was on behalf
> of Mr. Wasson as campaign manager since he wasn't a candidate?
>
> How would you allocate the funds between the candidates Petersen and
> Benjamin? Did you do any work that would be allocated to Maggie
> Steenrod?
>
> Also, can you give me a breakdown of what you did for each
> candidate, the approximate allocation of funds to that candidate and
> how many times you met with each?
>
> Thanks again for your time.
>
> Sally Parker
> Political Finance Specialist
> Public Disclosure Commission
> 360-586-2869 or toll free 877-601-2828
>
>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Michael A Snyder [mailto:mikesnydersea@juno.com]
> Sent: Monday, September 16, 2002 11:38 AM
> To: Sally Parker
> Subject: PDC Info Request
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> Sally!

> This email is in reference to your request over the phone last week
> for
> information concerning the work I did for Tom Hujar on behalf of
> Des
> Moines city council candidates for the 2001 election.
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> To the best of my recollection (I'm still checking through my
> records) I
> received a total of \$3,750 from Mr. Hujar for work on behalf of Don

> Richard Benjamin, Gary Petersen and Don Wasson.
>
> Of this total, I believe that \$2,750 was for precinct targeting and
> copy
> writing (ads & brochures) on behalf of Benjamin, Petersen & Wasson.
> I
> believe the remaining \$1,000 was for serving as a recount observer
> on
> behalf of Richard Benjamin.
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> I've checked with Mr. Hujar; he is going through his records, but
> said he
> thought this breakdown was correct. If I find anything to indicate
> otherwise, I will notify you immediately.
>
> Mike
>
> Michael A. Snyder
> mikesnydersea@juno.com
> 707 North 63rd Street
> Seattle, WA 98103 USA
> (206) 784-2985
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McGuire Research Services, LLC

1228 Fifteenth Street
Suite 314
Denver, CO 80202

Invoice

DATE	INVOICE #
10/8/2001	3716

BILL TO
The Olympic Institute Tom Hujar

PAID

PAYMENT TO
Research Services, LLC enth Street, Suite 314 Denver, CO 80202 UPS Account # F47-19E

PO Number	TERMS	DUE DATE	REP	SHIP VIA
	Due on receipt	10/8/2001	MWM	UPS

DESCRIPTION	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
Des Moines Average Time: 5.0 minutes Surveys	400	10.00	4,000.00

Thank you for using McGuire Research Services, LLC We appreciate your business.	Total \$4,000.00
	Balance Due \$0.00

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McGUIRE RESEARCH SERVICES

Job Summary Form

2269
3714

Date: 10/7/01 End Size: 400
Job: HUTER/DES MOINES Actual Production: 3.93
Phone Hours: 101.75 AT: 5.1
Training: 10.0 OE: 0

Staff &
Verification Hours: 14.0
Admin. Staff: 8.0
Disposition Hours: N.A.
Data Hours: _____
CATI Programming Hours: N.A.
Sample Cost: \$150.00
Printing: 880 PGS
X-Tabs Cost: #
Work Order AT: 5.0
Work Order Production: 5.0
Fixed Costs: _____

Billing Summary

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Printing _____ @ _____ = _____
Shipping _____ @ _____ = _____
Other _____ @ _____ = _____
Total _____ @ _____ = \$4,000.00

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10/8

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F.D.R. SERVICES
8440 NE GORDON
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110

5212

DATE 10-10-01

19-2/1250 WA
86363

PAY
TO THE
ORDER OF

Mc GUIRE RESEARCH

\$ 4,000.00

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Bank of America.



Commercial Acct. 086363

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[Signature]

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**1228 Fifteenth Street
Suite 314
Denver, CO 80202**

DATE	INVOICE #
10/26/2001	3768

**The Olympic Institute
Tom Hujar**

Research Services, LLC
enth Street, Suite 314
CO 80202
ount # F47-19E

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PO Number	TERMS	DUE DATE	REP	SHIP VIA
	Due on receipt	10/26/2001	MWM	UPS

DESCRIPTION	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
Washington			
GOTV Calls		5,000.00	5,000.00

**Thank you for using McGuire Research Services, LLC
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Total	\$5,000.00
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Balance Due	\$0.00
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McGUIRE RESEARCH SERVICES

Job Summary Form

Date: 10/29/01 End Size: 2521
Job: HUTCHINSON PETERSON ADV. Actual Production: 45.0
Phone Hours: 56.0 AT: .5
Training: 0 OE: —

Staff &
Verification Hours: 5.0
Admin. Staff: 4.0
Disposition Hours: N.A.
Data Hours: N.A.
CATI Programming Hours: N.A.
Sample Cost: N.A.
Printing: N.A.
X-Tabs Cost: N.A.
Work Order AT: .5
Work Order Production: 50.0
Fixed Costs: —

Billing Summary

Invoice Date: _____ AT _____
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Printing _____ @ _____ = _____
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Other _____ @ _____ = _____
Total _____ @ _____ = _____

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McGUIRE RESEARCH SERVICES

3768

Job Summary Form

Date: 10/28/01 End Size: 3022
 Job: MULTI-STEPPED ADDI Actual Production: 39.76
 Phone Hours: 76.0 AT: .5
 Training: 5.0 OE: 0

Staff &
 Verification Hours: 8.0
 Admin. Staff: 8.0
 Disposition Hours: N.A.
 Data Hours: N.A.
 CATI Programming Hours: N.A.
 Sample Cost: N.A.
 Printing: N.A.
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 Work Order Production: 50.0
 Fixed Costs: _____

Billing Summary

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F.D.R. SERVICES
8440 NE GORDON
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110

DATE 10-23-01

19-2/1250 WA
86363

PAY
TO THE
ORDER OF

McGUIRE RESEARCH

\$ 5,000.00

FIVE THOUSAND

no 1

DOLLARS ☒

Bank of America.

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FOR

[Signature]

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**1228 Fifteenth Street
Suite 314
Denver, CO 80202**

DATE	INVOICE #
11/4/2001	3791

The Olympic Institute
Tom Hujar

Research Services, LLC
enth Street, Suite 314
CO 80202
ount # F47-19E

PO Number	TERMS	DUE DATE	REP	SHIP VIA
	Due on receipt	11/4/2001	MWM	UPS

DESCRIPTION	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
Benjamin ADVO			
Advocacy Calls		1,000.00	1,000.00

**Thank you for using McGuire Research Services, LLC
We appreciate your business.**

Total	\$1,000.00
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Balance Due	\$0.00
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McGUIRE RESEARCH SERVICES

Job Summary Form

3791

Date: 11/2/01 End Size: 2676

Job: HUGER / BENJAMIN AND. Actual Production: 47.4

Phone Hours: 56.5 AT: .5

Training: 0 OE: 0

Staff &
Verification Hours: 12.0

Admin. Staff: 8.0

Disposition Hours: N.A.

Data Hours: N.A.

CATI Programming Hours: N.A.

Sample Cost: N.A.

Printing: N.A.

X-Tabs Cost: N.A.

Work Order AT: .5

Work Order Production: 50.0

Fixed Costs: _____

Billing Summary

Invoice Date: _____ AT _____

Surveys _____ @ _____ = _____

Data _____ @ _____ = _____

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Shipping _____ @ _____ = _____

Other _____ @ _____ = _____

Total _____ @ _____ = 1000

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F.D.R. SERVICES
8440 NE GORDON
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110

5228

DATE 10-31-01

19-2/1250 WA
86363

PAY
TO THE
ORDER OF

McGuire + ASSOCIATES

\$ 1,000.00

ONE THOUSAND + NO/

DOLLARS

Bank of America.



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FOR

Tom Hya

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IN BRIEF

Election Coverage:

Port of Seattle: Runway Foes Chosen To Challenge Incumbents

The third runway is emerging as an issue in Port Commission elections.

In the primary election on 18 September, two announced opponents of third-runway construction at Sea-Tac Airport were selected by voters to oppose incumbent Port Commissioners in the general election.

For Position 3, Richard Pope received 42,517 votes, and will face incumbent Eric Miller (with 87,662 votes). Two other challengers received a total of 80,716 votes. Mr. Pope attributed a good part of Ms. Miller's support to endorsements by Democratic Party groups.

In the Position 4 race, incumbent Pat Davis received fewer votes than the combined opposition. Christopher R. Cain will oppose her in the 6 November election. Ms. Davis received 34,418 votes. Mr. Cain, 39,483. Also on the ballot were Al Gen (20,055). The *Puget Sounder* election poll, originally reported that Mr. Cain was not an active candidate, and did not even mention that he would be on the November ballot. Mr. Davis' share of the vote (less than 44 percent) shows that the long-time incumbent is in serious difficulty.

Only two candidates stood for the seat now held by Jack Block—Mr. Block and Lawrence Malloy. Their names will appear on the general election ballot. Mr. Malloy is a very keen supporter of the third runway. Mr. Block has been known to express an occasional doubt.

Highline Area Races

In the Highline area, all candidates for City Council posts in Normandy Park and Burien are opposed to the Sea-Tac third-runway project, & the runway is not an issue at this time in the city of Sea-Tac.

In Des Moines, there are clear differences between the finalists on this issue. At present, all members of the Des Moines Council oppose the runway project & are supporters of the

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Highline School Bonds

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Truth in Aviation

The Newsletter of the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs

Vol. 7, No. 2

Fall 2001

WHAT NOW?

Two weeks after the attacks on the World Trade Center & the Pentagon, Congress was forced to bail out the airlines to the tune of \$15 billion. Some industry-watchers claim business will rebound quickly once people relax a little. Others, however, point out that the airlines were in big financial trouble *before* the Trade Center disaster because of a persistent drop in business travellers. This part of the problem, they argue, is likely to persist for a very long time, even if the public regains its confidence. The airlines themselves and Boeing seem to fall in to the latter camp, laying off tens of thousands.

Additional security needs will have a huge impact on airports. Some may never re-open. All of this affects airport expansion projects planned across the country, which are dependant on industry profits and customer demand. Sea-Tac's expansion is one of the most expensive in the country and will likely take some major cuts.

At many airports across the U.S., expansion projects are in serious jeopardy, as the money streams dry up. The immediate impacts are two-

fold: first, fewer travellers means less money collected from passenger facility charges (PFCs). & second, insolvent airlines cannot meet their lease payments to airports. Third, revenues from the federal tax on aviation fuel & other taxes on air travel will start to fall. FAA's grants for airport construction come from these taxes.

Here's what is happening at some representative airports.

Twin Cities (Minneapolis - St. Paul, Minnesota). The St. Paul *Pioneer Press* reported on 2 September that the balance of a \$2.7 billion expansion project at the Minneapolis-St. Paul Airport was at risk. To balance its budget the airport is likely to cut capital costs. Of the \$2.7 billion expansion project, between \$1.75 billion and \$1 billion already has been spent or committed.

San Francisco. According to the *San Mateo Daily Journal* (20 September), the terrorist attack may impact the decision whether or not to proceed with expansion at San Francisco. (The airport wants to fill in a big piece of the San Francisco Bay to make new land for the runway.)

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ACC Blasts DOE Process, Appeals to State Pollution Board

On August 10 the state Department of Ecology (DOE) issued a Section 401 water quality certification for the third runway project. This is the third attempt by the Port to get its 401 approval. This process has been watched with concern by people in the airport communities ever since DOE reassigned the lead analyst, Tom Luster, to "more pressing projects", hired Port consultants as "independent" technical reviewers, and "negotiated" the certificate in meetings chaired by a mediator paid for by the Port. (See *TIA Summer 2001*, p. 5.) The Airport Communities Coalition (ACC) has appealed the decision and asked for a stay. The hearing on the stay is scheduled for mid-October 2001, but no schedule for the main appeal has been set.

The 401 decision is a one-time opportunity for the State to determine whether the third runway meets applicable state aquatic resource regulations. These regulations cover areas such as fill, stormwater discharges, decreased streamflow, groundwater, water quality in the streams, and wetland health. By law, the Port must demonstrate that there is "reasonable assurance" that construc-

tion and the third runway itself will not violate State water quality standards.

Affidavits from experts in support of ACC's appeal point out that the Port did not even provide the information necessary to decide if applicable water quality standards *could* be met, much less reasonable assurance that they *would* be met. For example, instead of requiring a plan showing that the Port can prevent transport of contaminated groundwater through old utility corridors under the airport, DOE will allow the Port to submit the plan 60 days *after* the issuance of the certification. This, despite the fact that the Port has had years to come up with a plan, but has failed. ACC's lawyers point out that this gerrymandering of the requirements also destroys the public's legal right to comment on the plan.

In some instances, the Port provided conflicting information. For example, different Port reports claim that water behind the 150-foot high retaining wall, the "Great Wall of Sea-Tac", will transport through the wall, be diverted under the wall, or be collected behind the wall for later dis-

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Will Airlines Pay for Third Runway?

Expensive airport construction projects depend, in part, on the proceeds of leases between the airport and its airline tenants. Usually, airline lease payments provide about a third of the total cost of big projects. At Sea-Tac, according to the *Daily Journal of Commerce*, the figure is 41 percent. At most airports, including Sea-Tac, there is a single agreement, to which all airlines subscribe, a master lease, or "Basic Airlines Lease Agreement".

The master lease at Sea-Tac expires at the end of December 2001. The Port of Seattle wants a new agreement with higher rents (to help pay for the third runway & other expansion projects). The Port also wants the airlines to give up their existing right to say just how the profits from the leases may be used by the Port.

In late Summer, Port staff told the Commissioners that negotiations for a new master lease agreement with the major airlines tenants were going well & that the final agreement would achieve Port goals.

On 10 September, the Port published a notice withdrawing a previous request for consultants to advise on airport expansion projects. New information from airlines was one of the reasons cited. Airline revenues fell sharply in the first half of 2001. So, as new information code language, meaning "We can't pay, or we won't pay." The Port staff and Port Commission owe it to the public to provide a complete & accurate report on these negotiations. Sea-Tac spokesman Bob Parker said the Port's decision to delay the consultant contract potentially affects only the development of a proposed North terminal. For more news about that terminal, see the article, "Light Rail Line Plan Stops One Mile Short", p.3.

Environmental Stewardship—Port of Seattle Style

Industrial wastewater from Sea-Tac Airport (including runway run-off) is collected by the Airport's industrial wastewater system (IWS) as legally required to prevent run-off into local streams & other bodies of water.

Once collected, the effluent is piped to Renton, where it is supposed to go to the Renton Treatment Plant. Instead, it is discharged straight into Lake Washington. The Department of Ecology has said that in the year 2002 it will (at last) require the effluent to be treated. The Port has sought, & Ecology has granted, every extension allowed by federal law—ten years' worth.

Highline Elections

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Airport Communities Coalition. However, H. Michael Foote, Jr., a candidate for the open no. 7 position, is a runway supporter, while his opponent, Susan White, opposes the runway. Incumbent Terry Brazil (position 5) is challenged by Maggie Steenrod, who is pro-runway. For additional information contact the candidates as follows:

Terry Brazil (pos. 5): 206.824.4238

Maggie Steenrod (pos. 5): 206.991.3487, msteenrod@pmiloans.com

H. Michael Foote, Jr (pos. 7): 206.949.2628, hmfootejr@hotmail.com

Susan White (pos. 7): 253.941.4112, FAX 253.839.9555, susanrdo@home.com

A candidates' questionnaire from the *Highline Times* to council candidates did not address third-runway issues but did reveal that most Des Moines candidates, including Ms White, favor extension of SR 509. Mr Foote declined to be interviewed.

... and in Seattle

Transportation issues are shaping up as a major point of difference between Seattle mayoral finalists Mark Sidran & Greg Nickels. Sidran vehemently opposes, & Nickels strongly supports, the light-rail project. All incumbent Seattle City Council members have supported the third runway in the past, but support is weakening. Check the website of Seattle Council on Airport Affairs (www.airportnoise.org) for the latest SCAA questionnaire to Seattle candidates.

Highline Bonds Failing: No Resubmission in November

As *Truth in Aviation* went to press, the final vote on the Highline school-bond proposition had not been tallied. As of 24 September, the bonds appeared to be failing by a few dozen votes. A 60 percent approval vote is required. The early tally was Yes, 10,661 (59.35 percent), No, 7,302 (40.65 percent). In addition, the total vote on the proposition was roughly 200 under the legal minimum for bond approvals.

While late-mailed absentee ballots might affect the numbers, it appears that the proposal will lose by just a few votes.

Board Split; Deadline Missed

The measure will not re-submitted for the November general election, according to bond-campaign spokesman Stuart Jenner. At a meeting on Thursday, 20 September, the Highline School Board was deadlocked (2-2) on resubmission in November, with a deadline of 21 September to submit the proposition for the general election. The Board could still vote for resubmission to the voters at a February or March election.

Passage by 31 March 2002 of a bond measure containing \$50 million for sound-remediation work is a condition of the recent agreement between the Port, the School District, the State, and the FAA. That agreement would provide for additional funding for noise work, up to \$150 million, from the Port, the FAA, and the State.

Boeing Field Land Swap Increases Capacity

As part of a complex three-party deal, Museum of Flight and King County International Airport (Boeing Field) will exchange two-acre parcels of land, permitting the Museum to expand and the Airport to increase its capacity. The Airport will gain 31 new tie-down spaces.

The deal begins with a donation of two acres of land from the Boeing Co. to the Museum. One of those parcels will then be swapped with the County. The other donated parcel will be used for the museum's expansion on the west of East Marginal Way South. The Museum Flight is located in Tukwila, at the south corner of the Airport. The Museum plans to build several new structures for such uses as classroom, library, & additional display space. The new facility is scheduled to open in late 2003.

The Airport is years behind in preparing an update of its Master Plan, but proceeds with various incremental expansion activities nonetheless, always with the blessing of the Council.

ACC SAYS PORT'S WATER PLAN SUBSTANDARD

Construction of the proposed third runway would result in many changes to the ecology of the watersheds to the West and North of existing Airport. Under the Section 401 process, anyone wanting to make changes that might damage existing watersheds, streams, aquifers, standing bodies of water must have good plans to overcome any newly created problems.

Airport Communities Coalition points to numerous serious defects in the Port's remediation plans, too many to discuss in detail. Let's summarize some major problems involving too little water and too much water.

In Winter, removal of a large part of the wetlands & building new impermeable surfaces (runway pavement) will prevent gradual absorption of rain, & increase the risk of flooding, scour of the streambeds, & excessive deposits of silt. ACC experts say that the Port does not have good plans to remove sediment & pollution.

In late Summer, stream flows are already dangerously low. All concerned—Port, Ecology, Engineers, ACC, & all consultants—agree that the Port must find a way to provide extra water in the dry weeks.

The plan accepted by Ecology is to store water in great vaults, & then release it at time of need. However, the Port has not applied for a new water right, which it is legally required to have in order to withhold this water from streams. This stored water will accumulate sorts of pollutants, & will lose much of its oxygen. When released, it would be "an anoxic sludge of sediment laden water carrying a six-month pollutant load," warned Dr Peter Willing, a water-quality expert, & consultant to ACC. The Port has no present plans to deal with this problem.

Committee to Elect Maggie Steenrod
23003 Pacific Highway South, Suite 205
Des Moines, WA 98198-7292
(206) 870-5050

November 5, 2001

Public Disclosure Commission
711 Capitol Way, Room 206
P. O. Box 40908
Olympia, WA 98504-0908

Re: Request for Investigation into Des Moines City Council Election

To Whom It May Concern:

The purpose of this letter is to request an investigation by the Public Disclosure Commission into possible use of taxpayer funds in an attempt to influence the outcome of the Des Moines City Council election in favor of the incumbents during the 2001 race.

My name is Margaret Steenrod and I am a candidate for position 5 in the afore-mentioned city council race. I reside at 806 S. 273rd Court in Des Moines and also own and operate a business in Des Moines.

On the evening of October 24, 2001, I received in the mail at my home Vol. 7, No. 2, of *The Truth in Aviation: The Newsletter of the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs*. (See Exhibit 1.) It arrived the same day as the envelope containing my absentee voter's ballot. The *Newsletter* is a professionally produced eight-page document that included the following statement on page one:

"ELECTION COVERAGE: In the Highline area, all candidates for City Council posts in Normandy park and Burien are opposed to the Sea-Tac third-runway project, & the runway is not an issue at this time in the city of SeaTac. In Des Moines, there are clear differences between the finalists on this issue. At present, *all members of the Des Moines Council oppose the runway project & are supporters of the [continued on page 2] Airport Communities Coalition*. However, H. Michael Foote, Jr., a candidate for the open no. 7 position, is a runway supporter, while his opponent, Susan White, opposes the runway. *Incumbent Terry Brazil (position 5) is challenged by Maggie Steenrod, who is pro-runway.*" (Emphasis added.)

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I was stunned to see a blatant bid for votes on behalf of incumbent council members by this supposed non-partisan organization. I was even more surprised to be labeled "pro-runway" because I am not in favor of the Port of Seattle's proposed third runway project.

During that week I received several phone calls from *Newsletter* recipients who indicated that the statement in the *Newsletter* changed their minds about voting for me because they believed I was in favor of a third runway in Des Moines.

I sent an e-mail to the address listed on the *Newsletter*, asking why I had been labeled "pro-runway" and questioning the timing of the mailing. (See Exhibit 2.) The responses from the editor were surprising for three reasons:

- (1) The editor asked, "ARE you opposed to the third runway?" Keep in mind at this time and by his own admission the editor had already printed and mailed the *Newsletter* to more than 28,000 recipients, and now he was asking my position on the issue! (See Exhibit 3.)
- (2) The statement was made that the Coalition's determination of my "pro-runway" position was not based on anything said before or during my campaign but on the following: "I have yet to read, see, or hear your name mentioned as being on the right side of any part of this issue in any capacity at any time, at any place." (See Exhibit 4.)
- (3) The editor requested I keep his e-mailed response "strictly private . . . between the two of us." (See Exhibit 4.) To my knowledge, I have had no prior correspondence or conversation with this person, so I have no idea why he would make such a request.

When talking this over with other Des Moines residents, especially some who have been vocal in their opposition to the Port's third runway project, I was informed that the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs is funded strictly through private contributions and is therefore free to say whatever it chooses.

The facts appeared different at a Des Moines City Council meeting a few days later when the Airport Defense Fund was discussed. *Airport Defense* is defined in the City of Des Moines budget as follows:

"The Airport Defense budget accounts for revenues and expenditures relating to *efforts to protect the community* of Des Moines from the actions and consequences from the proposed expansion of the Sea-Tac International Airport." (Emphasis added.)

Line item 531.91.41 in the City's proposed 2002 budget for the Airport Defense Fund indicated the City of Des Moines plans to give \$30,000 to the Commission (the publisher of the

Newsletter) and \$470,000 to the Airport Communities Coalition for "professional services" pertaining to the Airport Defense Fund (see Exhibit 5.) I was informed by a citizen that evening that the Commission receives approximately \$25,000 each year directly from the City of Des Moines. At its September 27 meeting, the City Council voted to approve "the 2001 budget adjustments supporting the additional \$250,000 expenditure in the Airport Defense Fund." That expenditure was approved during this election campaign and one month before the eight-page, professionally prepared *Newsletter* was published and mailed to 28,000 voters.

Is the Airport Defense Fund being used to "protect the community" by interfering with our right to a fair and impartial election? Is taxpayer money is being spent by the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs, the Airport Communities Coalition, or any other entity organized to oppose the Port's third runway project, in an attempt to sway public opinion regarding elections in the City of Des Moines?

It is my belief that Des Moines taxpayers unwittingly may be paying for the campaigns of incumbents through Des Moines City Council's funding of both the Airport Communities Coalition and the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs. Such channeling of taxpayer funds would be unethical because it would unfairly affect the outcome of elections in the City of Des Moines.

I am requesting that you investigate the nature of the "professional services" for which both organizations have been paid and issue a written response as to whether any taxpayer funds went into *Truth in Aviation* Vol. 7, No. 2. Because if a single cent of public money was spent in creation of that document, the voters were unduly influenced to cast their votes against me and other candidates in favor of the incumbents and Ms. Susan White.¹

Please feel free to contact me at (206) 870-5050 if you have questions or need further information.

Sincerely,




Margaret A. Steenrod

Candidate for Des Moines City Council

Encl.

cc: King County Records & Elections

¹When contacted recently by Bruce Ramsey of the *The Seattle Times* about the election, he informed me that *The Seattle Times* sent him to cover the October 24 Candidates Forum and investigate another challenger, Mr. Mike Foote. A letter to the *Times* signed by the husband of candidate Susan White, and Robert Sheckler, requested that investigation. Mr. Sheckler apparently is not only an incumbent council member but also is head of the Airport Communities Coalition; the same ACC which received \$470,000 in taxpayer funds this year and which supports the Regional Commission on Airport Affairs. While Mr. Sheckler as an incumbent is free to endorse any candidate he chooses, his clout as head of the Airport Communities Coalition should not be leveraged against candidates for City Council; candidates who, if elected, are in a position to directly affect funding to the Airport Communities Coalition and Regional Commission on Airport Affairs.

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Purchased by: ****		Date Issued: October 04, 2001 NO.: 0500147496		
Payable to: ***FDR SERVICES***				

ENVIRONMENTAL MATERIALS TRANSPORT, LLC

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Bank of America 

Cashier's Check Receipt

Prepared by:

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Purchased by: ANNONYMOUS

Date issued: October 12, 2001

NO.: 1227192921

Payable to: ***FDR SERVICES***

Check purchased in the amount of: ***\$9,500.00*** DRAWER: Bank of America, N.A.

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Prepared by: 702



Cashier's Check Receipt

Purchased by: ANNONYMOUS

Date issued: October 12, 2001
NO.: 1227192912

Payable to: ***FDR SERVICES***

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Cashier's Check Receipt

Purchased by: N/A

Date Issued: October 25, 2001
NO.: 1227193704

Payable to: ***FDR Services***

Check purchased in the amount of: ***\$6,000.00*** DRAWER: Bank of America, N.A.

NOT NEGOTIABLE

Notice to Client: If your check is lost, stolen or destroyed, you may be required to sign an indemnity agreement before drawee will provide a refund or replacement. You will not be entitled to a refund or replacement until after 90 days from the issue date, and you will receive a refund or replacement only if the check has not been paid and the drawee is not otherwise required to pay the item or hold the funds.

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PURCHASER'S RECEIPT

Ref# *122109X

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Bank of America 

Cashier's Check Receipt

Purchased by: N/a

Date issued: October 25, 2001

NO.: 1227193695

Payable to: ***FDR Services***

Check purchased in the amount of: ***\$4,000.00*** DRAWER: Bank of America, N.A.

NOT NEGOTIABLE

PURCHASER'S RECE

Notice to Client: If your check is lost, stolen or destroyed, you may be required to sign an indemnity agreement before drawee will provide a refund or replacement. You will not be entitled to a refund or replacement until after 90 days from the issue date, and you will receive a refund or replacement only if the check has not been paid and the drawee is not otherwise required to pay the item or hold the funds.

Ref# *122108

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Bank of America 

Cashier's Check Receipt

Purchased by: ANONYMOUS

Date issued: November 29, 2001
NO.: 1227195576

Payable to: ***FDR SERVICES***

Check purchased in the amount of: ***\$1,800.00*** DRAWER: Bank of America, N.A.

NOT NEGOTIABLE

PURCHASER'S REC

Ref# *12210

Notice to Client: If your check is lost, stolen or destroyed, you may be required to sign an indemnity agreement before drawee will provide a refund or replacement. You will not be entitled to a refund or replacement until after 90 days from the issue date, and you will receive a refund or replacement only if the check has not been paid and the drawee is not otherwise required to pay the item or hold the funds.

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ENVIRONMENTAL MATERIALS TRANSPORT, LLC
13353 BELL-RED ROAD #104
BELLEVUE, WA 98005
(425) 401-9939
FAX: (425) 401-9969

SEAFIRST BANK
REDMOND, WA 98052
19-2/1250

5198

12-10-01

PAY TO THE ORDER OF FDR Services

\$ 8,200.00

Eighty Two Hundred and no/100

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED

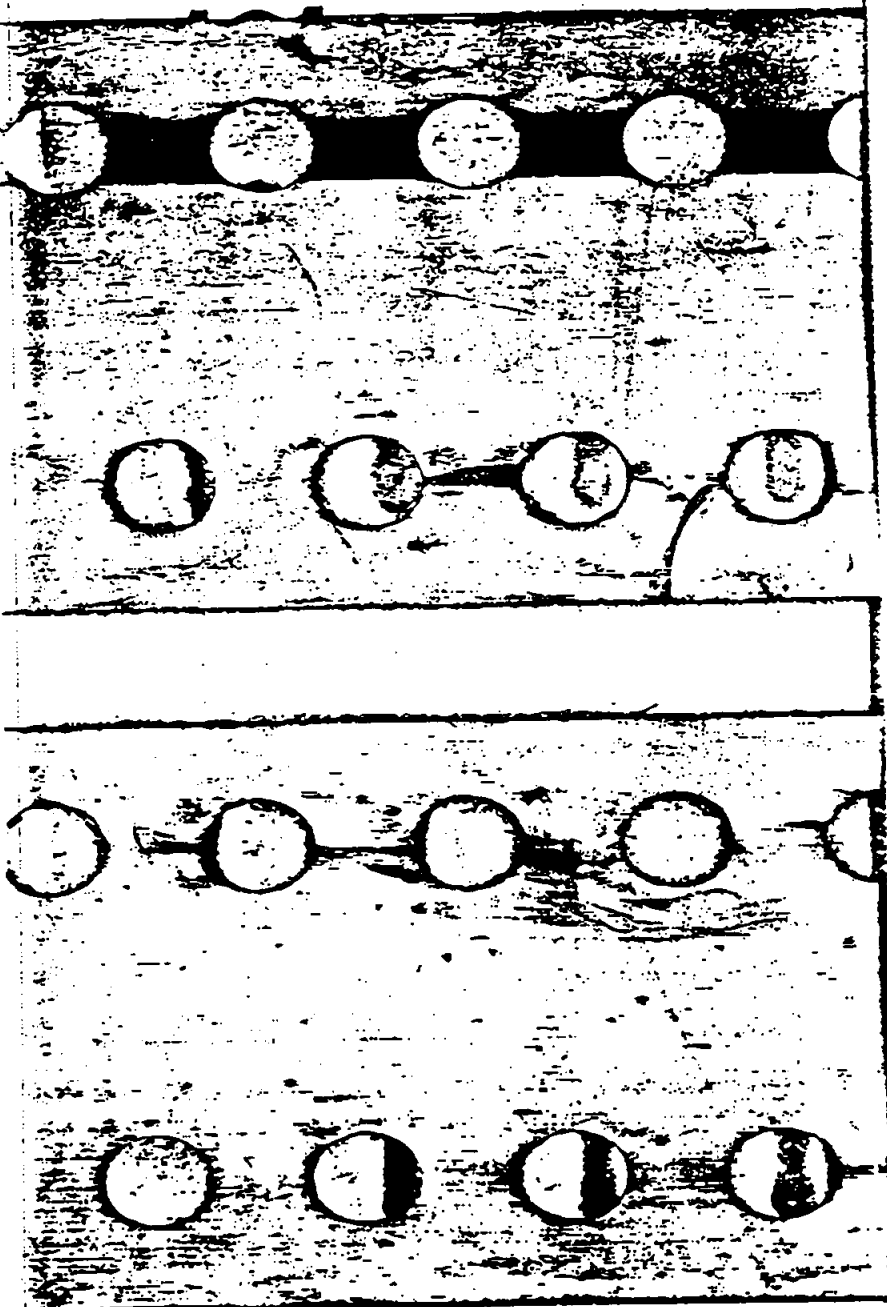
☒ DOLLARS
☐ Secured
☐ Debit Allowed

MEMO

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Henry Hopkins
John A. Taylor

⑆00008 20000⑆



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3. I was also asked to provide an estimate of the expenditures made for each candidate. Of the \$19,800 spent on campaign activities, I would divide this amount in the following way:

Mike Foote	\$ 500
Gary Peterson	\$ 3,500
Maggie Steenrod	\$ 1,000
Richard Benjamin	<u>\$14,800</u>

Please note that Maggie Steenrod specifically asked me not to make any expenditure on her behalf due to the \$3,500 limitation. The telephone calls were made at the direction of Don Wasson.

I hope that this provides you with all of the information that you requested.

Sincerely yours,

Tom Hujar
Tom Hujar

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From: <HujarTM@aol.com>
To: <hhopkins@ix.netcom.com>
Sent: Monday, December 10, 2001 12:40
Subject: Expense Summary

DES MOINES PROJECT

EXPENSES:

PAYMENTS:	\$10,000	
	\$ 9,500	
	\$ 9,500	
	\$ 9,000	
	\$ 1,000(D.W.)	
	<u>\$ 1,800</u>	<u>\$40,800</u>
BALANCE OWING:		\$ 8,700

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Things like that. And why I would be the best. Just the standard, standard campaign information I guess.

PARKER: Did you create brochures? Flyers? Things that you mailed? Signs?

FOOTE: Yeah. I made a couple brochure things up. In fact I don't even think I have them anymore. Most of my stuff was stolen when they broke into my boat. But just, I'm trying to think even the name of the one that I developed. Something about help get your foot into the door. Help me get the foot into the door, something along those lines.

PARKER: Did anyone help you create those?

FOOTE: No. I did it all myself. I had some help on, I'm trying to think did she help me? No, she helped me with Dupree, no I did those myself.

PARKER: Okay.

FOOTE: Just people that I know that troll on ideas here and there. But nothing that I ever, I mean I never hired anybody to help me come and do my work. It was just hey how would you word this or something like that.

PARKER: Okay. Did you ever use a consultant of any kind?

FOOTE: I never hired any consultants. I couldn't afford it.

PARKER: Okay. Did you talk with anyone about how to set up your flyers, what kind of wording, where to mail them?

FOOTE: No. Well like I say other than just people that I know that were interested in my campaign but nobody that I ever hired to do anything. It's just well you know they would say if you word this this way or you should put this in with a picture of your mother or

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Ch. M. J. L.

THOMAS F. HUJAR
8440 GORDON DR. NE 842-7069
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110

Pay to the Order of MIKE FORTÉ CAMARON \$ 500.00

Five Hundred & no/100 Dollars

American Marine Bank
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WASHINGTON 98110
1-800-648-3194
www.americanmarinebank.com

For Thomas F. Hujar

7763 98-486/1251 90

COLONIAL CLASSIC CHECK

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AMERICAN MARINE BANK
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110
1-800-648-3194
www.americanmarinebank.com

FBI SEATTLE
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KeyNotes (con't)

To maintain a competitive edge, your business likely has an ongoing need for updated or new equipment. Key's equipment leasing solutions can make your acquisition affordable. A tax lease financed in the 4th quarter (Oct. - Dec.) offers the lowest payment option and the payments are entirely tax-deductible.* For more information contact your relationship manager or call Key Equipment Finance at 1-800-800-3671.

* Consult your tax advisor about the tax benefits of leasing.

At the Online Solution Center, you can learn about everything from direct response marketing to data management. You'll find links to companies like Click Tactics, which offers fee-based, professionally written, custom marketing campaigns, as well as a variety of coupon programs. Log on to www.Key.com/sbsolutions to see how the Online Solution Center can help you with your marketing and sales needs.

Key Business Basics Checking
DES MOINES MARINA ASSOCIATION

Beginning balance 9-13-01
1 Addition
3 Subtractions
Ending balance 10-11-01

Additions	Deposits	Date	Serial #	Source
		10-9		Customer Deposit
Total additions				

Subtractions

Checks * check missing from sequence

	*1106	10-8	1,000.00
Total checks paid			

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KeyNotes (con't)

Visit Key's Online Solution Center today!
Whether you need discounted office products, professional marketing plans, or an effective way to find the right employees, all the information you need is located at Key's Online Solution Center. While you're there, visit the Bookkeeping & Accounting section of the site and find links to companies like PrivateCo, which offers tools to help you manage and grow your business. Log on to www.Key.com/sbsolutions to see what the Online Solution Center can do for you.

Does your business need equipment?
Key's equipment leasing solution lets your business hang on to its greatest asset - cash! We offer benefits like no money down and 100% financing (including "soft" costs like shipping, installation and training). And a tax lease financed in the 4th quarter (Oct. - Dec.) offers the lowest payment option and the payments are entirely tax-deductible.* For more information on how leasing can make your equipment acquisitions more affordable, contact your relationship manager or call Key Equipment Finance at 1-800-800-3671.
* Consult your tax advisor about the tax benefits of leasing. Subject to credit approval.

Key Business Basics Checking
DESMOINES MARINA ASSOCIATION

Beginning balance 10-11-01
4 Subtractions
Ending balance 11-13-01

Subtractions

Checks * check missing from sequence

1105 10-15 \$1,000.00 1109 Total checks paid

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1105

18-57/1250

DES MOINES MARINA ASSOCIATION
P. O. BOX 88786
DES MOINES, WA 98198

10/6 1901

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Richard Benjamin \$ 1000.00

One Thousand and no DOLLARS

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED

Richard Benjamin
Thomas E. Sullivan

Key Bank of Washington
SeaTac Mail Office 137
32400 Pacific Hwy. S., P.O. Box 8066
Federal Way, WA 98003-8066

MEMO [REDACTED] 1105 "0000100000"

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KEYBANK N.A. - WA
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Committee to elect
Richard Benjamin

DES MOINES MARINA ASSOCIATION P. O. BOX 98766 DES MOINES, WA 98198		19-57/1250	1106
PAY TO THE ORDER OF <u>Mike Footc</u>		<u>10/6</u> 19 <u>01</u>	\$ <u>1000⁰⁰</u>
<u>One Thousand and no/100ths</u>		DOLLARS	
MEMO		TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED	
+ BANK		<u>Thomas E. Siller</u>	
22400 Pacific Hwy. S., P.O. Box 3066 Federal Way, WA 98063-3066		1106m 0000100000	

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10102661

PERSONAL SERVICE TO TOP OF 100 FT. TOWER REC. 100

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10-07-02

RECEIVED
10-07-02

RECEIVED
10-07-02

RECEIVED
10-07-02

PARKER: Correct.

PETERSEN: Okay I'm not familiar with any of that. I don't even know that they were made and I don't know who paid for them if anybody did at all or they were real.

PARKER: Okay so no one ever discussed this with you?

PETERSEN: No. I had no knowledge of it at all until it was addressed in Dave Caplin's complaint regarding me.

PARKER: Okay so you didn't receive any of the phone calls either then?

PETERSEN: No.

PARKER: And we, last time we talked about Tom Hujar and can you tell me again how you met Tom Hujar and what your contact with him was?

PETERSEN: Well I met Tom Hujar through Don Wasson. I was, let's see if I can remember it all right now. Tom Hujar called me and told me that he would like to meet with me at the state auditor's office. I can't remember the date but it was, I believe it was after the election and relating to the various things were coming about on my conflict of interest that the citizens of Des Moines Incorporated said that I had. As well as Gary McLean who is the city attorney that had written a letter to the state attorney general's office requesting the state attorney general's office give an opinion whether I had a conflict of interest or not. From that developed meeting Tom Hujar and going down and discussing the politics that was going on in the City of Des Moines with the state auditor Brian, gee my mind's a blank right now, Sontag.

PARKER: Sontag.

PETERSON: Yeah.



PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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PO BOX 40808
OLYMPIA WA 98504-0808
(360) 763-1111
TOLL FREE 1-877-601-2628

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**PERSONAL FINANCIAL
AFFAIRS STATEMENT**P M PDC OFFICE USE
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Refer to instruction manual for detailed assistance and examples

Deadlines: Incumbent elected and appointed officials - by April 15.
Candidates and others - within two weeks of becoming a
candidate or being newly appointed to a position.

DOLLAR
CODE AMOUNT

A	\$1 to \$2,999
B	\$3,000 to \$14,999
C	\$15,000 to \$29,999
D	\$30,000 to \$74,999
E	\$75,000 or more

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D**SEND REPORT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION**

Last Name First Middle Initial

Petersen Gary W.

Mailing Address (Use PO Box or Work Address)

21841 Pacific Hwy So.

City	County	Zip + 4
Des Moines	King	98198-7705

Names of immediate family members If there is no reportable
information to disclose for dependent children, or other
dependents living in your household, do not identify them. Do
identify your spouse See F-1 manual for details

SP Adele A

Filing Status (Check only one box.)

- ☐ An elected or state appointed official filing annual report
- ☐ Final report as an elected official Term expired _____
- ☒ Candidate running in an election month November year 2001
- ☐ Newly appointed to an elective office
- ☐ Newly appointed to a state appointive office

Office Held or Sought

Office title City Council Member

County, city, district or agency of the office,

name and number Des Moines City CouncilPosition number No3Term begins Jan2002 ends Dec2005**1****INCOME**

List each employer, or other source of income (pension, social security, legal judgment) from which you or a family
member received \$1,500 or more during the period. (Report interest and dividends in Item 3 on reverse)

Show Self (S)
Spouse (SP)
Dependent (D)

	Name and Address of Employer or Source of Compensation	Occupation or How Compensation Was Earned	Amount (Use Code)
S	Petersen NorthWest Corporation 21841 PHS Des Moines WA 98198	Owner	E
S	Petersen NW Corporation Rental	Rental	E

Check Here ☐ if continued on attached sheet

2**REAL ESTATE**

List street address, assessor's parcel number, or legal description AND county for each parcel of Washington real
estate with value of over \$7,500 in which you or a family member held a personal financial interest during the
reporting period. (Show partnership, company, etc. real estate on F-1 supplement.)

Property Sold or Interest Divested	Assessed Value (Use Code)	Name and Address of Purchaser	Nature and Amount (Use Code) of Payment or Consideration Received
Property Purchased or Interest Acquired		Creditor's Name/Address	Payment Terms
			Security Given
			Mortgage Amount - (Use Code) Original Current
All Other Property Entirely or Partially Owned			
509 So 222nd Des Moines Wa 98198 Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if continued on attached sheet	E	None	Cash
			Paid

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A Name and address of each bank or financial institution in which you or a family member had an account over \$15,000 any time during the report period	Type of Account or Description of Asset	Asset Value (Use Code)	Income Amount (Use Code)
Key bank 23200 Kent Wa 98032 Key Bank 23200 PHS Kent WA 98032	checking Money market	E E	A B
B. Name and address of each insurance company where you or a family member had a policy with a cash or loan value over \$15,000 during the period Manufactureers Life Ins. P.O. Box 640 Buffalo NY	Life Insurance	D	
C Name and address of each company, association, government agency, etc in which you or a family member owned or had a financial interest worth over \$1,500 Include stocks, bonds, ownership, retirement plan, IRA, notes, and other intangible property IRA Key Bank 23200 Pacific Hwy So Kent Wa Stock Petersen Northwest Corp. Des Moines WA Principle Financial Group IRA investment	IRA Stock of Business IRA investments	E 680shrs D	None E None

Check here ☐ if continued on attached sheet.

4 CREDITORS		List each creditor you or a family member owed \$1,500 or more any time during the period. Don't include retail charge accounts, credit cards, or mortgages or real estate reported in Item 2.		AMOUNT (USE CODE)	
Creditor's Name and Address		Terms of Payment	Security Given	Original	Present
<p>Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if continued on attached sheet.</p>					

5 All filers answer questions A thru D below. If the answer is YES to any of these questions, the F-1 Supplement must also be completed as part of this report. If all answers are NO and you are a candidate for state or local office, an appointee to a vacant elective office, or a state executive officer filing your initial report, no F-1 Supplement is required.

Incumbent elected officials and state executive officers filing an annual financial affairs report also must answer question E. An F-1 Supplement is required of these officeholders unless all answers to questions A thru E are NO.

- A Were you, your spouse or dependents an officer, director, general partner or trustee of any corporation, company, union, association, joint venture or other entity at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A
- B Did you, your spouse or dependents have an ownership of 10% or more in any company, corporation, partnership, joint venture or other business at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A
- C Did you, your spouse or dependents own a business at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A
- D Did you, your spouse or dependents prepare, promote or oppose state legislation, rules, rates or standards for current or deferred compensation (other than pay for a currently-held public office) at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part B.
- E Only for Persons Filing Annual Report. Regarding the receipt of items not provided or paid for by your governmental agency during the previous calendar year: 1) Did you, your spouse or dependents (or any combination thereof) accept a gift of food or beverages costing over \$50 per occasion? ___ or 2) Did any source other than your governmental agency provide or pay in whole or in part for you, your spouse and/or dependents to travel or to attend a seminar or other training? ___ If yes to either or both questions, complete Supplement, Part C.

<p>ALL FILERS EXCEPT CANDIDATES. Check the appropriate box</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I hold a state elected office or am an executive state officer. I have read and am familiar with RCW 42.52.180 regarding the use of public resources in campaigns.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I hold a local elected office. I have read and am familiar with RCW 42.17.150 regarding the use of public facilities in campaigns.</p>	<p>CERTIFICATION: I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> _____</p> <p>Signature _____ Date <u>8-22-01</u></p> <p>Contact Telephone <u>(206) 878-8400</u></p>
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All other Property Entirely or partially owned assessed value Creditor name/address payment terms security given mortgage amount house use current

1105 So 222nd Des Moines WA 98198	E		cash		C	
1117 So 222nd Des Moines WA 98198	E	Bank of America P.O. box 9000 Getzville NY 14068-9000	cash down 7% 15 year		C	C
2514 So 219th st Des Moines WA 98198	E	Bank of America P.O. Box 9000 Getzville NY 14068-9000	cash down 7% 15 year		D	A
21815 Pacific Hwy So. Des Moines WA 98198	E	Key Bank P.O. Box 94831 Cleveland OH 44101-4831	Cash down Maturity Loan		E	E
Vacant land						

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SUPPLEMENT PAGE
PERSONAL FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
STATEMENT

PROVIDE INFORMATION FOR YOURSELF, SPOUSE, DEPENDENT CHILDREN AND OTHER DEPENDENTS IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD

Last Name Petersen	First Gary	Middle Initial W.	DATE 8-27-01
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**OFFICE HELD,
BUSINESS
INTERESTS:**

For each corporation, non-profit organization, association, union, partnership, joint venture or other entity in which you, your spouse or dependents are an officer, director, general partner, trustee, or 10 percent or more owner -- provide the following information:

- Legal Name: Report name used on legal documents establishing the entity.
- Trade or Operating Name: Report name used for business purposes if different from the legal name.
- Position or Percent of Ownership: The office, title and/or percent of ownership held.
- Brief Description of the Business/Organization: Report the purpose, product(s), and/or the service(s) rendered.
- Payments from Governmental Unit: If the governmental unit in which you hold or seek office made payments to the business entity concerning which you're reporting, show the purpose of each payment and the actual amount received.
- Payments from Business Customers and Other Government Agencies: List each corporation, partnership, joint venture, sole proprietorship, union, association, business or other commercial entity and each government agency (other than the one you seek/hold office) which paid compensation of \$5,000 or more during the period to the entity. Briefly say what property, goods, services or other consideration was given or performed for the compensation.
- Washington Real Estate: Identify real estate owned by the business entity if the qualifications referenced below are met.

ENTITY NO. 1

Reporting For: Self ☒ Spouse ☒ Dependent ☐

LEGAL NAME: **Petersen Northwest Corporation**

POSITION OR PERCENT OF OWNERSHIP
~~100%~~ **75%**

TRADE OR OPERATING NAME: **Pete's Towing**

ADDRESS: **21841 Pacific Hwy So. Des Moines WA 98198**

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION:

Transport Vehicles, Mobile Homes, Modular Homes, Tear Down and Set up Mobile homes and Modular Homes. Fabrication and Welding.

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENTAL UNIT IN WHICH YOU SEEK/HOLD OFFICE:

Purpose of payments

Amount (actual dollars)

\$

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM BUSINESS CUSTOMERS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OVER \$7,500:

Customer name:

Purpose of payment (amount not required)

WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE IN WHICH ENTITY HELD A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST (Complete only if ownership in the ENTITY is 10% or more and assessed value of property is over \$15,000. List street address, assessor parcel number, or legal description and county for each parcel):

**21841 Pacific Hwy So Des Moines Wa 98198 21845 Pacific Hwy So. Des Moines WA
legal description-lot 13, & 14 East Desmoines 5 acre TRS Unwreck So 100' of POR of 14
WLY of ST Hwy # 1 TGW Space POR OF TR 13 WLY of ST Hwy Space # 1 Less so 100' THOF
and less West 70**

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Name

ENTITY NO. 2

Reporting For: Self ☐ Spouse ☐ Dependent ☐

LEGAL NAME:

POSITION OR PERCENT OF OWNERSHIP

TRADE OR OPERATING NAME:

ADDRESS:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION:

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENTAL UNIT IN WHICH YOU SEEK/HOLD OFFICE:

Purpose of payments

Amount (actual dollars)

\$

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM BUSINESS CUSTOMERS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OVER \$7,500:

Customer name:

Purpose of payment (amount not required)

WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE IN WHICH ENTITY HELD A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST (Complete only if ownership in the ENTITY is 10% or more and assessed value of property is over \$15,000. List street address, assessor parcel number, or legal description and county for each parcel):

Check here ☐ if continued on attached sheet**B****LOBBYING:**

List persons for whom you or any immediate family member lobbied or prepared state legislation or state rules, rates or standards for current or deferred compensation. Do not list pay from government body in which you are an elected official or professional staff member.

Person to Whom Services Rendered

Description of Legislation, Rules, Etc.

Compensation (Use Code)

Check here ☐ if continued on attached sheet**C****FOOD
TRAVEL
SEMINARS**

Complete this section if a source other than your own governmental agency paid for or otherwise provided all or a portion of the following items to you, your spouse or dependents, or a combination thereof: 1) Food and beverages costing over \$50 per occasion; 2) Travel occasions; or 3) Seminars, educational programs or other training.

Date
Received

Donor's Name, City and State

Brief Description

Actual Dollar Amount

Value
(Use Code)

\$

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711 CAPITOL WAY RM 206
PO BOX 40908
OLYMPIA WA 98504-0908
(360) 753-1111
TOLL FREE 1-877-601-2828

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**PERSONAL FINANCIAL
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A	\$1 to \$2,999
B	\$3,000 to \$14,999
C	\$15,000 to \$29,999
D	\$30,000 to \$74,999
E	\$75,000 or more

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SEND REPORT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

Last Name First Middle Initial

Petersen Gary W

Home Address (Use PO Box or Work Address)

21841 Pacific Hiway So.

City County Zip + 4
Des, Moines King 98198 -7705

Filing Status (Check only one box.)

- ☒ An elected or state appointed official filing annual report
☐ Final report as an elected official. Term expired: _____
☐ Candidate running in an election: month _____ year _____
☐ Newly appointed to an elective office
☐ Newly appointed to a state appointive office

Names of immediate family members. If there is no reportable information to disclose for dependent children, or other dependents living in your household, do not identify them. Do identify your spouse. See F-1 manual for details.

SP Adele A. Petersen

Office Held or Sought

Office title: **City Council Member**

County, city, district or agency of the office,

name and number: **Des, Moines City Council**

Position number: **No 3**

Term begins: **Jan 2002** ends: **Dec 2005**

1 INCOME

List each employer, or other source of income (pension, social security, legal judgment) from which you or a family member received \$1,500 or more during the period. (Report interest and dividends in Item 3 on reverse)

Form 540 (SI)
Schedule SP
Form (D)

Name and Address of Employer or Source of Compensation	Occupation or How Compensation Was Earned	Amount (Use Code)
Petersen Northwest Corporation 21841 Pacific Hiway So. Des, Moines Wash 98198	President	D
Petersen Northwest Corporation	Rental	E

Check Here ☐ if continued on attached sheet

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REAL ESTATE

List street address, assessor's parcel number, or legal description AND county for each parcel of Washington real estate with value of over \$7,500 in which you or a family member held a personal financial interest during the reporting period. (Show partnership, company, etc. real estate on F-1 supplement.)

Property Sold or Interest Divested	Assessed Value (Use Code)	Name and Address of Purchaser	Nature and Amount (Use Code) of Payment or Consideration Received
Property Purchased or Interest Acquired		Creditor's Name/Address	Payment Terms
		Security Given	Mortgage Amount - (Use Code) Original Current
Other Property Entirely or Partially Owned 509 So. 222 ND Des, Moines Wa. 98198	E	None	Cash

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3 ASSETS / INVESTMENTS - INTEREST / DIVIDENDS

List bank and savings accounts, insurance policies, stock, bonds and other intangible property held during the reporting period.

Name and address of each bank or financial institution in which you or a family member had an account over \$15,000 any time during the report period.	Type of Account or Description of Asset	Asset Value (Use Code)	Income Amount (Use Code)
Key Bank 22033 Marine View Dr. So. Des, Moines	Checking	E	A
Name and address of each insurance company where you or a family member had a policy with a cash or loan value over \$15,000 during the period.			
Manufacturers Life Ins. P.O.Box 640 Buffalo NY	Life Insurance	B	
Name and address of each company, association, government agency, etc. in which you or a family member owned or had a financial interest worth over \$1,500. Include stocks, bonds, ownership, retirement plan, IRA, notes, and other intangible property.			
Petersen Northwest Corporation 21841 Pacific Hwy So. Des, Moines Wa 98198	Business stock	E	
Principal Financial Group 221 North Wall Suite 320 Spokane Wash.	IRA Investments	D	

Check here ☐ if continued on attached sheet.

4 CREDITORS

List each creditor you or a family member owed \$1,500 or more any time during the period. Don't include retail charge accounts, credit cards, or mortgages or real estate reported in Item 2.

AMOUNT (USE CODE)

Creditor's Name and Address	Terms of Payment	Security Given	Original	Present
N/A				

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All filers answer questions A thru D below. If the answer is YES to any of these questions, the F-1 Supplement must also be completed as part of this report. If all answers are NO and you are a candidate for state or local office, an appointee to a vacant elective office, or a state executive officer filing your initial report, no F-1 Supplement is required.

Incumbent elected officials and state executive officers filing an annual financial affairs report also must answer question E. An F-1 Supplement is required of these officeholders unless all answers to questions A thru E are NO.

- Were you, your spouse or dependents an officer, director, general partner or trustee of any corporation, company, union, association, joint venture or other entity at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A.
- Did you, your spouse or dependents have an ownership of 10% or more in any company, corporation, partnership, joint venture or other business at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A.
- Did you, your spouse or dependents own a business at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part A.
- Did you, your spouse or dependents prepare, promote or oppose state legislation, rules, rates or standards for current or deferred compensation (other than pay for a currently-held public office) at any time during the reporting period? ☒ If yes, complete Supplement, Part B.
- Only for Persons Filing Annual Report. Regarding the receipt of items not provided or paid for by your governmental agency during the previous calendar year. 1) Did you, your spouse or dependents (or any combination thereof) accept a gift of food or beverages costing over \$50 per occasion? ☒ No. 2) Did any source other than your governmental agency provide or pay in whole or in part for you, your spouse and/or dependents to travel or to attend a seminar or other training? ☒ No. If yes to either or both questions, complete Supplement, Part C.

ALL FILERS EXCEPT CANDIDATES. Check the appropriate box.

- ☐ I hold a state elected office or am an executive state officer. I have read and am familiar with RCW 42.52.180 regarding the use of public resources in campaigns.
- ☐ I hold a local elected office. I have read and am familiar with RCW 42.17.130 regarding the use of public facilities in campaigns.

CERTIFICATION: I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: [Signature] Date: 4-25-02

Contact Telephone: 208 876-5400

REPORT NOT ACCEPTABLE WITHOUT FILER'S SIGNATURE

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2. Real Estate

All Other Property Entirely or Partially Owned	Assessed Value	Creditor's Name/Address	Pmt. Terms	Security Given	Orig. Mortgage Amt.	Current Mortgage Amt.
(cont. from page 1)						
1105 S. 222 nd St. Des Moines, WA 98198	E	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1117 S. 222 nd St. Des Moines, WA 98198	E	Bank of America P. O. Box 9000 Getzville, NY 14068-9000	25 yrs. @ 11%	N/A	E	B
2514 S. 219 th St. Des Moines, WA 98198	E	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
21815 Pacific Highway South Des Moines, WA 98198	E	Key Bank P. O. Box 94831 Cleveland, OH 44101-4831	\$7,000 per mo.	N/A	E	E

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PDC FORM
F-1
SUPPLEMENT
(11/87)

SUPPLEMENT PAGE
PERSONAL FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
STATEMENT

PROVIDE INFORMATION FOR YOURSELF, SPOUSE, DEPENDENT CHILDREN AND OTHER DEPENDENTS IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD

Last Name Petersen	First Gary	Middle Initial W.	DATE 04/23/02
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A OFFICE HELD, BUSINESS INTERESTS: For each corporation, non-profit organization, association, union, partnership, joint venture or other entity in which you, your spouse or dependents are an officer, director, general partner, trustee, or 10 percent or more owner -- provide the following information:

- Legal Name: Report name used on legal documents establishing the entity.
- Trade or Operating Name: Report name used for business purposes if different from the legal name.
- Position or Percent of Ownership: The office, title and/or percent of ownership held.
- Brief Description of the Business/Organization: Report the purpose, product(s), and/or the service(s) rendered.
- Payments from Governmental Unit: If the governmental unit in which you hold or seek office made payments to the business entity concerning which you're reporting, show the purpose of each payment and the actual amount received.
- Payments from Business Customers and Other Government Agencies: List each corporation, partnership, joint venture, sole proprietorship, union, association, business or other commercial entity and each government agency (other than the one you seek/hold office) which paid compensation of \$5,000 or more during the period to the entity. Briefly say what property, goods, services or other consideration was given or performed for the compensation.
- Washington Real Estate: Identify real estate owned by the business entity if the qualifications referenced below are met.

ENTITY NO. 1 Reporting For: Self ☒ Spouse ☒ Dependent ☐

LEGAL NAME: **Petersen Northwest Corporation** POSITION OR PERCENT OF OWNERSHIP
71.5%

TRADE OR OPERATING NAME: **Pete's Towing Service**

ADDRESS: **21841 Pacific Hiway So. Des, Moines Washington 98198**

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION: **Towing of All types of vehicles/ Mobile Home and Modular Transporting/Take down and setup of mobile and modular homes/ Fabrication and welding shop Sales of towing equipment and parts.**

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENTAL UNIT IN WHICH YOU SEEK/HOLD OFFICE:

Purpose of payments	Amount (actual dollars)
City of Des Moines	\$ 2,502.20

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM BUSINESS CUSTOMERS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OVER \$7,500:

Customer name:	Purpose of payment (amount not required)
Federal Aviation Administration	Mobile Home Movement Services

WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE IN WHICH ENTITY HELD A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST (Complete only if ownership in the ENTITY is 10% or more and assessed value of property is over \$15,000. List street address, assessor parcel number, or legal description and county for each parcel):

21841 Pacific Hwy. S., Des Moines, WA 98198, and
21845 Pacific Hwy. S., Des Moines, WA 98198.

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CONTINUE PARTS B AND C ON REVERSE

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Name

ENTITY NO. 2

Reporting For: Self ☐ Spouse ☐ Dependent ☐

LEGAL NAME: N/A

POSITION OR PERCENT OF OWNERSHIP

TRADE OR OPERATING NAME:

ADDRESS:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION:

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENTAL UNIT IN WHICH YOU SEEK/HOLD OFFICE:

Purpose of payments

Amount (actual dollars)

\$

PAYMENTS ENTITY RECEIVED FROM BUSINESS CUSTOMERS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OVER \$7,500:

Customer name:

Purpose of payment (amount not required)

WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE IN WHICH ENTITY HELD A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST (Complete only if ownership in the ENTITY is 10% or more and assessed value of property is over \$15,000. List street address, assessor parcel number, or legal description and county for each parcel):

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B

LOBBYING:

List persons for whom you or any immediate family member lobbied or prepared state legislation or state rules, rates or standards for current or deferred compensation. Do not list pay from government body in which you are an elected official or professional staff member.

Person to Whom Services Rendered

Description of Legislation, Rules, Etc.

Compensation (Use Code)

Check here ☐ if continued on attached sheet

C

**FOOD
TRAVEL
SEMINARS**

Complete this section if a source other than your own governmental agency paid for or otherwise provided all or a portion of the following items to you, your spouse or dependents, or a combination thereof: 1) Food and beverages costing over \$50 per occasion; 2) Travel occasions; or 3) Seminars, educational programs or other training.

Date
Received

Donor's Name, City and State

Brief Description

Actual Dollar
Amount

Value
(Use Code)

\$

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VENDPRN2
03/05/02 10:27

CITY OF DES MOINES
VENDOR DETAIL BY CHECK DATE AND NUMBER

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VENDOR NO: 000710 VENDOR NAME: PETERSEN NORTHWEST CORP.

CHK DT	CHK #	INVOICE #	INV DATE	AMOUNT
10/12/99	68720	236652	10/02/99	175.94
10/26/99	68929	0021089	04/26/99	22.51
11/22/99	69239	224974	09/12/99	175.96
		229423	02/11/99	86.34
		236469	10/26/99	65.21
		CHECK TOTAL		327.51
01/25/00	70203	239731	12/15/99	52.68
03/07/00	70785	241567	02/19/00	175.94
		242361	02/29/00	175.93
		CHECK TOTAL		351.87
03/20/00	70941	240282	01/19/00	162.90
04/25/00	71360	244251	04/18/00	175.93
05/10/00	71533	0022851- IN	05/03/00	42.36
06/07/00	71886	0023051	06/05/00	59.74
07/05/00	72249	242669	03/08/00	175.93
		244594	05/10/00	534.31
		245489	05/26/00	175.93
		CHECK TOTAL		886.17
09/26/00	73276	248797	09/06/00	175.93
		248877	09/09/00	97.74
		CHECK TOTAL		273.67
10/24/00	72713	245331	05/26/00	229.69
		246365	09/18/00	50.50
		248291	08/11/00	102.63
		CHECK TOTAL		382.82
11/21/00	74015	250923	11/08/00	72.22
		251107	11/08/00	162.90
		CHECK TOTAL		235.12
03/20/01	75426	254514	03/01/01	175.93
04/24/01	75825	254868	03/08/01	76.57
		254935	03/13/01	103.18
		CHECK TOTAL		179.75

99

2000

2001

VENDOR DETAIL BY CHECK DATE AND NUMBER

VENDOR NO: 000710 VENDOR NAME: PETERSEN NORTHWEST CORP.

CHK DT	CHK #	INVOICE #	INV DATE	AMOUNT
06/26/01	76823	256158	04/27/01	163.20
		256791	05/10/01	73.44
			CHECK TOTAL	236.64
07/10/01	76997	258390	06/20/01	66.91
08/21/01	77536	258435	07/03/01	57.12
		259155	07/14/01	176.26
			CHECK TOTAL	233.38
10/09/01	78279	260779	09/14/01	156.13
		261167	10/01/01	69.09
			CHECK TOTAL	225.22
10/23/01	78465	261680	10/08/01	162.00
12/11/01	79019	261372	11/27/01	136.00
		262807	11/01/01	199.92
		262859	11/17/01	176.26
			CHECK TOTAL	512.18
12/21/01	79224	262465	11/17/01	50.59
		263061	11/30/01	176.26
		263118	11/30/01	176.26
			CHECK TOTAL	403.11
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01/22/02	79591	263644	12/18/01	176.26
		264624	01/14/02	176.26
			CHECK TOTAL	352.52
02/12/02	72831	264027	01/14/02	163.30
		265645	01/20/02	163.20
			CHECK TOTAL	326.50
02/26/02	80018	264969	02/14/02	163.20
			VENDOR TOTAL	20,046.22
			GRAND TOTAL	20,046.22

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2000

CHECK

INVOICE

DATE	CHECK #	DATE	INVOICE #	AMOUNT
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1/25	70203	12/15/99	239731	52.68
3/7	70785	2/19	241567	175.94
3/7	70785	2/29	242361	175.93
3/20	70941	1/19	240282	162.90
4/25	71360	4/18	244251	175.93
5/10	71533	5/3	22851	42.36
6/7	71886	6/5	23051	59.74
7/5	72249	3/8	242669	175.93
7/5	72249	5/10	244594	534.31
7/5	72249	5/26	245489	175.93
9/26	73276	9/6	248797	175.93
9/26	73276	9/9	248877 ✓	97.74
10/24	72713	5/26	245331	229.69
10/24	72713	9/18	246365	50.50
10/24	72713	8/11	248291	102.63
11/21	74015	11/8	250923	72.22
11/21	74015	11/8	251107	162.90

TOTAL FOR 2000				\$ 2,623.26
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2001

CHECK DATE	CHECK #	INVOICE DATE	INVOICE #	AMOUNT
3/20	75426	3/1	254514	175.93
4/24	75825	3/8	254868	76.57
4/24	75825	3/13	254935	103.18
6/26	76823	4/27	256158	163.20
6/26	76823	5/10	256791	73.44
7/10	76997	6/20	258390	66.91
8/21	77536	7/3	258435	57.12
8/21	77536	7/14	259155	176.26
10/9	78279	9/14	260779	156.13
10/9	78279	10/1	261167	69.09
10/23	78465	10/8	261680	162.00
12/11	79019	11/27	261372	136.00
12/11	79019	11/1	262807	199.92
12/11	79019	11/17	262859	176.26
12/21	79224	11/17	262465	50.59
12/21	79224	11/30	263061	176.26
12/21	79224	11/30	263118	176.26
TOTAL FOR 2001				<u>\$ 2,195.12</u>

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Towing Service

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JUL 01 2002

Public Disclosure Commission

21841 PACIFIC HWY. SOUTH, DES MOINES, WASHINGTON 98198-7705
(206) 878-8400 • 1-800-992-2212

June 26, 2002

Public Disclosure Commission
711 Capital Way Rm 206
P.O.Box 40908
Olympia Washington 98504-0908

Dear Sally

Enclosed is the information you requested. Towing invoices for 2001.

3-1-01 Invoice No. 254514/ Des,Moines City Shops	\$	175.93
3-8-01 Invoice No. 254868/ City of Des,Moines	\$	76.57
3-13-01 Invoice No. 254935/ City of Des,Moines	\$	103.48
4-27-01 Invoice No. 256158/ Des,Moines Police Dept	\$	163.20
5-10-01 Invoice No. 256791/ Des,Moines Police Dept	\$	73.44
6-20-01 Invoice No. 258390/ Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	66.91
7-3-01 Invoice No. 258435/ Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	57.12
7-14-01 Invoice No. 259155/ Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	176.26
9- -01 Invoice No. 261167/ Des,Moines Police Dept	\$	69.09
9-11-01 Invoice No. 260779/ Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	156.13
10-19-01 Invoice No. 261680 Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	162.00
11-1-01 Invoice No. 262807 Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	199.92
11-16-01 Invoice No. 262859 Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	176.26
11-27-01 Invoice No. 261372 Des,Moines Police Dept.	\$	136.00
Total		\$1,792.31

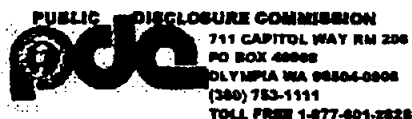
Also enclosed is PDC C-3. A letter from Mr. Tomas E. Sitterley.

Sincerely


Gary W. Petersen

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SUMMARY, FULL REPORT RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

C4
(397)

DATE FILED PDC
DEC 10 2001

Candidate or Committee Name (Do not abbreviate. Include full name)

GARY WAYNE PETERSEN

Mailing Address

1117 SO 222nd Des Moines

City

WA

Zip + 4

98198-7705

Office Sought (Candidates)

Des Moines City Council #3

Report Period
Covered

From (last C-4)

10-31-01

To (end of period)

12-10-01

Final Report?

Yes ☒ No ☐

*For PACs, Parties & Caucus Committees: During this report period, did the committee make an independent expenditure (i.e., an expense not considered a contribution) supporting or opposing a state or local candidate?

*See next page

Yes ☐

No ☐

RECEIPTS

1. Previous total cash and in kind contributions (From line 8, last C-4)
(if beginning a new campaign or calendar year, see instruction booklet)

\$ 9,000.00

2. Cash received (From line 2, Schedule A)

\$ 500.00

3. In kind contributions received (From line 1, Schedule B)

1050.00

4. Total cash and in kind contributions received this period (Line 2 plus 3)

1550.00

5. Loan principal repayments made (From line 2, Schedule L)

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6. Corrections (From line 1 or 3, Schedule C) Show + or (-)

7. Net adjustments this period (Combine line 5 & 6) Show + or (-)

8. Total cash and in kind contributions during campaign (Combine lines 1, 4 & 7)

10,550.00

9. Total pledge payments due (From line 2, Schedule B)

EXPENDITURES

10. Previous total cash and in kind expenditures (From line 17, last C-4)
(if beginning a new campaign or calendar year, see instruction booklet)

8082.01

11. Total cash expenditures (From line 4, Schedule A)

1326.67

12. In kind expenditures (goods & services) (From line 1, Schedule B)

1050.00

13. Total cash and in kind expenditures made this period (Line 11 plus line 12)

2376.67

14. Loan principal repayments made (From line 2, Schedule L)

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15. Corrections (From line 2 & 3, Schedule C) Show + or (-)

16. Net adjustments this period (Combine lines 14 & 15) Show + or (-)

17. Total cash and in kind expenditures during campaign (Combine lines 10, 13 and 16)

10,458.68

CANDIDATES ONLY

not

Name

Primary election

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General election

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Treasurer's Daytime Telephone No.

206 878-8400

CASH SUMMARY

18. Cash on hand (Line 8 minus line 17)

91.32

Line 18 should equal your bank account balance(s) plus your petty cash balance.

19. Liabilities: (Sum of loans and debts owed)

()

20. Balance (Surplus or deficit) (Line 18 minus line 19)

91.32

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the information herein and on accompanying schedules and attachments is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Candidate's Signature

Date

Treasurer's Signature

Date

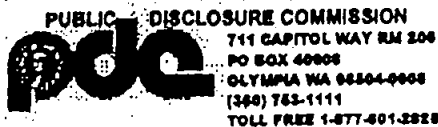
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SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON NEXT PAGE

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CASH RECEIPTS
MONETARY
CONTRIBUTIONS

C3

(11/93)

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE

RECEIVE

JUL 01 2001

Public Disclosure Comm

Candidate or Committee Name (Do not abbreviate. Use full name.)

Gary Wayne Petersen

Mailing Address

1117 SO 222nd

City

Zip + 4

Office Sought (candidates)

Des Moines WA 98198-705 Des Moines city council POS #

1. MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS DEPOSITED IN ACCOUNT

Date Received		Amount	Total
	a. Anonymous	\$	\$
	b. Candidate's personal funds deposited in the bank (Include candidate loans in 1c)		
	c. Loans, notes, security agreements. Attach Schedule L		
	d. Miscellaneous receipts (interest, refunds, auctions, other). Attach explanation		
	e. Small contributions \$25.00 or less not itemized and number of persons giving (persons)		

2. CONTRIBUTIONS OVER \$25.00

Date Received	Contributor's Name, Address, City, State, Zip	Contributions of \$100 or more: * Employer's Name, City and State	P R I N T E N	Amount	Aggregate Total
11-1-01	Petersen NW corp 21841 pacthwy 50 Des Moines WA 98198			\$ 500. ⁰⁰	\$
		Occupation			
		Occupation			
		Occupation			
		Occupation			
		Occupation			
		Occupation			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if additional pages are attached	Sub-total Amount from attached pages		500. ⁰⁰	

*See next
page for
details.

3. TOTAL FUNDS RECEIVED AND DEPOSITED OR CREDITED TO ACCOUNT

Sum of parts 1 and 2 above. Enter this amount in line 1, Schedule A to C4.

4. Date of Deposit 11-1-01

I certify that this report is true and complete to the best of my knowledge

Treasurer's Signature

Date

Treasurer's Daytime Telephone No.: 206 878-8400

[Signature]

11-2-c

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BENJAMIN: No. I wish I did because that was a disgusting piece and anybody that knows me know that I don't stand for that.

PARKER: Okay. Do you, are you familiar with McGuire Services?

BENJAMIN: No.

PARKER: McGuire Services, are you familiar with the advocacy calls that were made in Des Moines just prior to the election for three of the candidates?

BENJAMIN: No. I don't know anything about that.

PARKER: Did you hear about it? Do you know that it happened?

BENJAMIN: Well I've heard allegations of it but I never received any calls or any of my neighbors.

PARKER: Okay. So McGuire Services is the company that made the calls and I understand that you were one of the candidates that received the advocacy calls.

BENJAMIN: I don't know how to respond to that because I don't know anything about it.

PARKER: Okay. So advocacy calls by McGuire Services, was that discussed with you by either Mr. Wasson or Mr. Hujar?

BENJAMIN: No.

PARKER: Okay. Are you familiar with WESCOT Company?

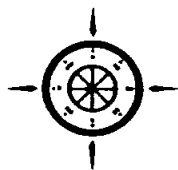
BENJAMIN: Yes I am.

PARKER: Okay. Did you receive any contributions from them?

BENJAMIN: No.

PARKER: Did you ever meet with them or discuss any kind of assistance for your campaign?

BENJAMIN: I'm sorry.



Professional Mortgage, Inc.

<http://www.pmlans.com>

May 2, 2002

VIA FACSIMILE
Original Via Mail

Mr. Philip E. Stutzman
Public Disclosure Commission
711 Capitol Way, Room 206
P. O. Box 40908
Olympia, WA 98504-0908

RECEIVED

MAY 06 2002

Public Disclosure Commission

Re: Response to PDC Case No. 02-296
Complaint Filed by Former Councilmember Dave Kaplan

Dear Mr. Stutzman:

This letter is in response to your letter of April 19, 2002, concerning a complaint filed against other Des Moines council members and me. I have no knowledge as to the campaign activities of any other candidate in the November 2001 election and therefore speak only for myself and my campaign. With respect to the allegations contained therein, my responses are as follows:

1. **Unreported and Unidentified Phone Calls.** My children and I made several hundred telephone calls to friends, acquaintances, business associates, and voters living in Des Moines in late October and early November, asking for their vote on November 6. The telephone calls were made from my residence and my office. Those numbers which might have registered on a recipient's caller ID would be: (253) 529-8540, (253) 529-1649, (206) 870-5050, (206) 870-5040, (206) 870-5041, (206) 870-5042, (206) 870-5043, (206) 870-5044 or (206) 870-5046, depending upon which lines were in use at the time.

In addition, on two occasions around the same time I sent electronic mail messages to everyone in my electronic address book, requesting their vote. I experienced a hard drive crash in February and no longer have the data on my system. However, a photocopy of one of the e-mails that was in my campaign file is attached (see Attachment 1). I remember specifically mentioning that my campaign expenditure limit had been reached and I was limited to non-monetary assistance, and requested any help in terms of forwarding e-mails or making telephone calls on my behalf. I received quite a few forwarded e-mails of people who endorsed me in this manner, and I believe it was a factor in my winning the election.

PACIFIC FINANCIAL CENTER
23003 Pacific Highway South, Suite 201
Des Moines, WA 98198-7292



NAB

(206) 870-5050 Main Office
(800) 764-5626 (PMI LOAN) Toll Free
(206) 870-5051 Fax

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With regard to telephone calls from any location other than specified above, at no time did I hire or pay anyone to make telephone calls on my behalf, nor do I have knowledge of anyone who did so.

2. **Intentional Misreporting of In-Kind Contributions.** I created and produced my own flyers, publications, and other materials used in my campaign. Due to a journalism degree and editing experience, the quality of my written work normally is above average. No campaign consultant produced anything for my election campaign; therefore I would have not have reported contributions, in-kind or otherwise.

In the last week or two before the election, I "proofed" a flyer for both Mr. Foote and Mr. Petersen prior to publication. Since my editing skills have been frequently requested over the years, and I have never charged fees nor received payment for such assistance, I do not consider it an "in-kind" contribution and therefore would not have thought to note it as such for their PDC filings.

3. **Receiving Contributions in Excess of Limits.** With a couple of minor exceptions, the cost of my campaign was borne by myself and my company, which I own. I declined several offers of financial assistance to avoid any inclination toward bias or the appearance of any impropriety which might arise during or after the election. There was no improper reporting or contribution in excess of \$50.
4. **Non-Reporting of Independent or In-Kind Expenditures.** I had no knowledge or information about any materials produced on my behalf, other than my own. It was my understanding that I was responsible for any activities sponsored by or costs incurred by my volunteer staff or me for the campaign. Actions on the part of anyone else are beyond my influence or control.
5. **Non-Reporting of Independent Expenditure, Illegal Use of Public Facilities for Campaign Purposes, and Lack of Identification.** I do not know who produced the offensive flyer that was circulated the day before the election; it was a cowardly act and the person responsible should be identified and prosecuted.
6. **Multiple Violations of Reporting Requirements.** This allegation does not pertain to my campaign.

Please feel free to contact me at (206) 870-5050 if you have questions or need further information.

Sincerely,



Margaret A. Steenrod
Council Member, Des Moines City Council
CEO, Professional Mortgage, Inc.

Encl.

Maggie--Postmistress

From: Maggie--Postmistress
Sent: Saturday, October 27, 2001 2:25 PM
To: Undisclosed Recipients (E-mail)
Subject: Please remember to vote on Tuesday, November 6

Hello, my name is Maggie Steenrod and I'm a candidate for the Des Moines City Council. Predictions are that voter turnout for the November 6 election will be very low. Please take the time to exercise your rights as an American; prove the experts wrong and vote.

If you live in Des Moines or have friends or acquaintances in Des Moines, I would appreciate your endorsement of me for this position. Our city is in dire need of someone to help bring accountability back to City government, to encourage public participation and to properly steward our financial resources. Having been a business owner for many years now, a member and participant of our Chamber of Commerce, and watched our government in action at City Council meetings, I am concerned about the future of Des Moines.

I would like to help and feel that I can be an asset to the Council and to Des Moines. As most of you know, I don't hesitate to speak my mind, or question things that don't look right.

Please tell people you know in Des Moines about me and help pass the word. November 6th is coming up quickly, and you can make a difference in this election.

Thank you in advance for your help and support!

Maggie Steenrod
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4/4 Ad Highline Times 3 X 8	\$381.60
7/16 Ad, Highline Times 5 X 16 full page	\$1,272.00
8/1 Ad, Highline Times, 3 X 8 & placement 25%	\$477.00
8/13/2001, Vote No signs, 300 Loyd Gardner	\$180.29
9/12 ad Highline Times, 3 x 8	\$381.60
9/16 Flyer, printing, Staples, 4000 copies	\$199.23
Total	\$4,143.72

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